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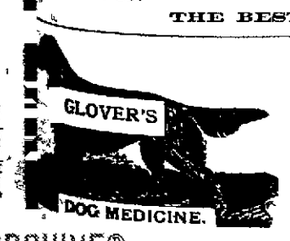


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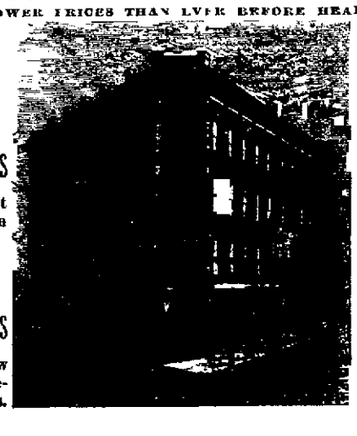

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## JUDGE FIELD'S ARREST.

### Released by Justice Sawyer on a Writ of Habeas Corpus

### IN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS BONDS

Funeral of Terry at Stockton—Sepulture Denied by the Catholic Church—The Excitement in San Francisco Unabated

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 16—Justice Stephen J Field, of the United States supreme court, was arrested here to day on a charge of being a party to the killing of David S Terry at Lathrop last Wednesday morning Application was made at once for a writ of habeas corpus and the matter was heard by Judge Sawyer of the United States circuit court who granted the writ and released Justice Field on $5,000 bail

The warrant for Justice Field's arrest was issued by a justice of the peace in Stockton on complaint of Mrs Sarah Althea Terry Sheriff Cunningham of Stockton arrived here with the warrant last night and he applied to Judge Rix of the police court this morning to indorse it

Judge Rix took the matter under advisement and asked the advice of District Attorney Lake The latter expressed the opinion that the warrant should be indorsed if it was issued in regular form and that the judge should not consider the individual ity of the person against whom it was directed

The counsel who appeared for Justice Field urged the court to take testimony to ascertain if the warrant should have been issued He declared that the issuance of the warrant was nothing more than an attempt to humiliate a justice of the United States supreme court

Judge Rix finally indorsed the warrant and placed it in the hands of Sheriff Cunningham who went at once to the United States appraiser's building where Justice Field's chambers are located Justice Field arrived at his chambers about noon and with Judge Brewer of Kansas and Judge Sawyer, awaited the arrival of the sheriff

Sheriff Cunningham went first to the marshal's office and then accompanied by Chief of Police Crowley Captain Lees and United States Marshal Franks, proceeded to Justice Field's chambers Justice Field rose to receive the party and Sheriff Cunningham presented the warrant and formally made the arrest Application was made at once for a writ of habeas corpus Judge Sawyer granted the writ and retired to the circuit court room Justice Field and Sheriff Cunningham then entered the courtroom and took seats in the jury box

District Attorney Carey announced that Sheriff Cunningham had obeyed the writ of habeas corpus and produced the prisoner and that he now awaited the further pleasure of the court

Judge Sawyer set the case for a hearing on next Thursday morning and ordered Justice Field's release, fixing the bail at $5000

The petition for the writ of habeas corpus was made by Judge Field himself and is a very lengthy document It sets forth in detail the facts of the case already known and declares that at the breakfast table at Lathrop Justice Field was insulted and wickedly assaulted from behind without any forewarning by David S Terry which assault was not provoked by a word or deed of the petitioner

The details of the contempt proceedings of September last when Mr Terry was cited to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court are then set forth and it is declared that at the time of the commission of said alleged acts Terry and his wife and Field himself were under orders and instructions that for and during the inauguration of the said Terry and his wife respectively threatened that at the first opportunity they would use force and violence upon the petitioner for and on account of the acts done in the discharge of the duties devolving upon him as associate justice of the United States supreme court and that as Terry repeatedly and frequently declared and threatened that he would get even with the petitioner

The petition next sets forth that at the time of the shooting Field's only weapons were a pistol and sword and that the United States marshal and his deputy were in the room at the time and that the general of the United States and Marshal Franks

The petitioner declares that in no way or manner did he offer provocation himself or was in any way responsible for the directions given Angel or any other person and that he was merely present at the place of shooting, while en route from Los Angeles to San Francisco on the docket This only at fact

He further declares that he was not then nor has he been at any time for many years armed with any weapon whatever nor has he used any weapon on that occasion The petitioner further alleges that Sarah Althea Terry falsely and maliciously swore out the warrant of arrest

Justice Field further asserts that in the United States circuit court, during the hearing of the Sharon case, it was proved and held that the complainant Sarah Althea Terry was an abandoned woman and without veracity

### THE SUPREME COURT.

#### Refusal to Adjourn as a Mark of Respect to Terry's Memory

An application was made by Attorney Crittenden to the supreme court to adjourn to day as a mark of respect to the memory of Judge Terry

Chief Justice Beatty declined to entertain the motion in the following language after remarking that he was sorry the motion had been urged

It is a very unfortunate affair but the court has fully considered the same, and deems it the wisest mode of treating the subject to keep silence The sudden death of David S Terry is notorious, and it is the decision of this court that it take no further action in the matter

### HE HAS ONE ADMIRER

STOCKTON Cal Aug 16—Judge Budd this morning adjourned the superior court out of respect to the memory of David S Terry He said that those who knew Judge Terry best knew him as a pure judge and an able attorney

### THE FUNERAL AT STOCKTON.

#### A Great Number of People View the Body —Sarah Althea Much Affected

STOCKTON Aug 16—Judge Terry's body was removed from the morgue to St John's Episcopal church at noon where it lay in state for two hours and was viewed by a great number of people Mrs Terry sat in a pew near the casket and gazed intently at the dead all the while and several times she left her seat and threw herself upon the casket

The rector of the church is ill and an effort was made to get the Episcopal clergyman at Sacramento to officiate but he was away from home, and Mr. E. Derrance, one of the oldest vestrymen in the church here was finally selected to read the service, which commenced about 2 o'clock

The body was interred in the cemetery in town There was some little delay at the grave the heavy casket being difficult of handling The Episcopal service was read and the usual prayer offered Mrs Terry uttered several exclamations, but after the prayer she was led to her carriage by friends and driven to the Yosemite hotel here where she retired to her room The friends of Judge Terry remained at the grave until a neat mound covered the remains

## TERRY WAS NOT A CATHOLIC.

### So the Rites of Sepulture Were Denied by the Church

STOCKTON Cal Aug 16—It is stated that Mrs Sarah Althea Terry endeavored to have her husband buried by the Roman Catholic but was refused the rites of the church Terry and Sarah Althea were married in 1886 by a Catholic priest and it has always been supposed that he was a Roman Catholic

Father Walsh Caren of St Mary's church was seen to day and questioned on the subject. He admitted having seen Mrs Terry but was uncommunicative as to what took place

Mrs Terry, he said knew perfectly well that Judge Terry was not and never had been a Catholic If she understands the spirit of the Catholic religion she would know full well that it would have been totally impossible for her husband to have been buried under the auspices of the church

"Is Mrs. Terry what is called a good Catholic or is she as people assert, merely an alleged Catholic" was asked

"I am sure I cannot tell you Mrs Terry did send for me but all I know is that the judge could not be buried by our church.

### A DECISION AGAINST HER

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 16—In July the supreme court of California reversed the decision of the superior court in the Sharon Hill Terry divorce case and remanded the case for a new trial Mrs Terry applied for a rehearing before the supreme court, to have the order for a new trial set aside The supreme court to day refused her application

### THE TRIBUNE'S OPINION

NEW YORK Aug 16—The Tribune in an editorial says "The killing of the ruffian and murderer Terry by a United States deputy marshal while in the act of assaulting Justice Field, makes a curious legal situation It cannot be claimed that he shot Terry in self-defense It may not be practicable to afford better protection to the lives of judges, and happily these cases are rare, but if so this is one of those instances in which public sentiment can properly make itself felt upon the side of natural justice, without too much regard to the letter of the law It is safe to say that Deputy Marshal Nagle has not much to fear from a California jury

### TURF EVENTS.

#### Races at Rochester, Saratoga and Brighton Beach.

ROCHESTER, N Y Aug 16.—The weather was threatening to-day, with frequent showers.

Bell o Hamlin was sent on an exhibition mile for a silver cup She was not sent to break her record and made the mile in 2 16¾

2 18 class—Susie S first Kit Curry second J B Richardson third Henrietta fourth best time 2 18¼

2 17 class pacing—Ed Annan first Willard M second Emma third, Gingerly fourth best time 2 11

2 25 class Ketch first W H Nichols second Kooke third Hoom fourth best time 2 24¼

Free for all Harry Wilkes first, Jean Smith second best time 2 19

SARATOGA RACES

SARATOGA Aug 16.—The weather was pleasant to-day, the attendance good and the track good but not fast

Five-eighths of a mile—Nana Fille won in 1 04½ Garoda second Fellowship third

1 Mile—Estella won in 1 43¾ St Luke second Mazeppa third

Five and one half furlongs Rebecca won in 1 11¾ Sunshine second Lady Reed third

Mile and one sixteenth—Brown Princess won in 1 49¾ Laura Dee Jam second Satisfaction third

Mile and seventy yards—Shamrock won in 2 01, Hot Cake second Of Him third

BRIGHTON BEACH RACES

BRIGHTON BEACH Aug 16 Three fourths of a mile—Cracksman won in 1 16¾ Mule second Horbilase third

Seven eighths of a mile—Utility won in 1 30 New Berg second Little Jake third

Six and one half furlongs—Declare won in 1 22, Lipstalt second Amanda third

Mile and an eighth—Bram Promarte won in 1 59 Bombaccad second Benedictine third

Mile and one sixteenth Buckstone won in 1 50¾ Jim Clark second Proustchild

Steeple chase short course—Sanford won in 3 Mentmore second Will Do third

THE FAIL RACES AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON Aug 16—The National Jockey Club has completed preparations for the fall annual fall meeting, which will begin in October and last five days There will be five races each day except on steeple chase days No purse will be less than $600

### A NEW PAPAL SCHEME.

#### Leo XIII Wishes the Western Powers to Buy Up Jerusalem to Enhance His Prestige

LONDON Aug 16—Cardinal Lavigaess it is understood will shortly appeal, in the name of the holy father, Leo XIII to the nations of Europe to purchase from the infidel defilers the holy city of Jerusalem, and as much of its surroundings as will be necessary to form a small province to be forever independent and to guarantee its integrity

If successful, this victory for the cause of civilization it is considered by the cardinal and Pope Leo would be the greatest triumph ever achieved by the Catholic church and would endear it to the affections of many now alienated from its teachings and prestige and would do much toward creating a general desire for the restoration of its temporal power

### A HIGH ECCLESIASTIC TRIBUNAL

PHILADELPHIA Aug 16—The appointment of a high ecclesiastical tribunal by the pope for the Roman Catholic church in the United States is believed to have already been consummated although inquiry has failed to develop the existence of an official notification

### MRS. MAYBRICK'S CASE.

#### Home Secretary Matthews Will Recommend a Commutation of the Sentence

LONDON Aug 16.—The Press Association states that Home Secretary Matthews will recommend to the queen the commutation of the death sentence of Mrs. Maybrick to penal servitude for life, and that the commutation of the sentence will be announced after the queen has given her formal assent

LONDON PRESS COMMENT

LONDON Aug 16 The Times in a thorough review of the medical testimony in the trial of Mrs Maybrick says the conclusion arrived at by the Royal Commissioners of 1883 should not be exercised in the case but as a result the jury's decision of the case is the just one. The Parliamentary and honest jury did one of the gravest judgments of the century. We see no reason to assert in our unbiased opinion that the verdict rendered in Mrs Maybrick's trial was warranted by the evidence.

### THE GUBERNATORIAL CONTEST

#### No Frauds Yet Discovered by the Investigating Committee

WHEELING W Va Aug 16—The special committee of the legislature which has been in session for four months examining the depositions in the gubernatorial contest has completed the reading of the evidence from all the counties except two Mercer and Mellowell

The investigation so far has developed one important fact and that is that the election in this state all counts to the contrary was a singularly fair one No genuine frauds have been discovered and out of several hundred votes attacked as illegal a very small proportion scarcely one tenth has been thrown out and these only on tech ical grounds

### AMERICAN WHEAT PROSPECTS

#### The Short Crops in Europe and India Will Give Us the Control of the Market

WASHINGTON Aug 16—The reports received here this morning by the superintendent of agriculture show highly encouraging prospects for American wheat this year India will produce 1,000,000 bushels of wheat which is 35,000,000 bushels less than the crop of which latter year Russia has 25,000,000 bushels less than that of the previous years. The aggregate falls little more than sufficient for her own consumption. The crop of Russia is 15 per cent. short and Austro-Hungary has a crop 25 per cent. short of last year's crop The United States will have 100,000,000 bushels for export.

### THE NORTHERN PACIFIC

#### The Issuance of $160,000,000 of Bonds Looked Upon With Disfavor.

NEW YORK Aug 16 —The *Commercial Advertiser* says in a financial article The adjournment of the Northern Pacific directors to next Wednesday was not unexpected The problems are of such a nature that it will take time properly to consider them The speech of a spirited contest on the control of the road at the next election causes the preferred stock to hold at comparatively strong figures There is a growing feeling that the issuance of bonds to the amount of $160,000,000 more than the present indebtedness of the road will be a hazardous undertaking

### HEAVILY FINED.

#### Two Contractors Plead Guilty to the Importation of Foreign Labor

AUSTIN Tex Aug 16 —In the United States court this morning Gus Wilkes and Abner Taylor pleaded guilty to the importation of skilled laborers from Europe to work on the new capitol and were fined $1000 and costs in each of sixty four cases.

### Mining Troubles Ended

CHICAGO Aug 16 —The Northern Illinois miners' troubles have come to a settlement after a long discussion To night the mine owners offered to make a reduction of 7½ cents instead of 10 cents Congressman Sawyer and other non-union men were made to retire from the wage workers' conference on the ground of being agitators who were preventing a settlement After midnight the miners committee agreed to the figures proposed on condition of an advance of 2½ cents in October

### The Tithes Bill.

LONDON Aug 16 The discussion of the tithes bill was continued to day in the commons Sir William Vernon Harcourt appealed to the speaker to say whether when amendments inserted practically constituted a new bill it was not the practice to withdraw the measure and introduce a new bill if necessary The speaker ruled that the bill so transformed should be withdrawn It was accordingly withdrawn

### A Manifesto by Boulanger et al

LONDON, Aug 16 —A manifesto, signed by General Boulanger, Count Dillon and Henri Rochefort is published. It calls the action of the senate court the scene of arbitrary rule autocracy and mendacity and declares that in spite of the fresh *coup d'etat* preparing in the dark the signers have continued confidence in the electorate of France

### Not the Body of the Aeronaut.

BABYLON L. I Aug 16 —The body of the man which was found on Fire Island beach two weeks ago and which was supposed to be that of Professor Hogan the missing aeronaut and was subsequently buried in the cemetery of this village has been identified as that of Henry Warden, of Chicago who committed suicide

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## THE DAY AT OLYMPIA.

### Cities Must Be Incorporated by General Law.

### THE LAND QUESTION DEBATE

#### Some Good Speeches Were Made, but Mostly to Empty Chairs—The Delegates Weary of Their Own Eloquence.

OLYMPIA W T Aug 16 —The convention met at 9 the president in the chair

Prayer by Rev Chaplin of Olympia.

At roll call there were twenty vacant seats.

The records were read and approved.

A petition of M V L. West and others for woman suffrage was submitted by the president and tabled

Minor from the revision committee, called attention to the fact that the article on corporations provided that cities should never be chartered by special law and said it was the judgment of the committee that to leave it to stand in that way would practically nullify the section and prevent the incorporation of future cities. He suggested such changes as would allow the legislature to grant cities incorporation by special act in order that boundaries may be defined and leave the rest to general law

Griffits did not think the deliberate conclusions of the convention should be so interfered with If allowed it would result in interminable trouble He foresaw this a day or two ago, and so acted when he voted against the first suggestion of this same committee

Minor asked how he would describe the boundaries of a new city by general law

Griffits said that there was no trouble about that at all Nearly every constitution in the country had such a general law and anyhow wise or not the convention had done it deliberately and it ought not to be undone

Sullivan said this was a special case and ought to be attended to no matter how it was got at No two towns are in the same place or similarly situated A general act is simply impossible for the purpose of incorporation

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Stiles—Who are the inhabitants who declare"

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Browne thought that this change would result in occupying about one half of the sixty days' session allowed to the legislature in passing acts for charters It is unfortunate that such a limit has been fixed, but we have fixed it so and ought not to so overload the legislature

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Sullivan insisted on his point.

He also said that before ruling he wanted to go on record with a protest against letting this article go as it stands because in his opinion as a lawyer it would render it impossible for the legislature to incorporate any city

Browne did not concur and thought by reconsidering in the regular way this matter could be brought up for discussion

The chair said it had passed the reconsideration stage

C M Reed thought the revision committee was ahead in order in expressing its opinion that this form of words was a nullity

Lowey agreed and argued that the wording of the rule was sufficiently broad to cover the action of the committee

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and Crowley accepted this as a substitute for his proposition.

Turner and Sullivan opposed this substitute, and Sharpstein and Crowley favored it. Division resulted in its adoption by ayes 27, noes 22.

### A SUBSTITUTE BY PROSSER.

**Providing a Detailed Plan for the Management of School Lands.**

Prosser offered a substitute for the entire section, but withheld it, at the chair's request, to allow Gowey's amendment to be considered

Moore moved and Gowey accepted, that thirty days be changed to sixty days.

Stiles hoped these details would be left to the legislature, and so did Dunbar

The amendment was lost.

Prosser then renewed his substitute providing in detail a plan for future management of school lands.

Dunbar said all this had been involved once and so was not in order

The chair differed

Prosser argued in favor of giving grave attention to this most important subject. More than 10,000 000 children of the United states were now being educated in public schools.

Jamison raised the point of order that this was in conflict with section 18 of the enabling act.

The chair differed.

Prosser proceeded with details of school funds and land grants in various states showing how other states had suffered their school land grants to be misappropriated or lost or so mismanaged as to realize proper benefits therefrom and contrasting with this the experience of some states which properly handled their lands From these facts and figures he deduced this result "That if the state of Illinois had prohibited its legislature from squandering its school lands, it would now have an income of $10 000,000 annually instead of having to levy a tax of more than $1,000,000 annually for school purposes

Pending his remarks he gave way to Dunbar to move that the committee rise and report pro ress

This being done, the president resumed the chair

Dyer reported, and leave to sit again was granted, whereupon Dunbar moved recess to 2 o clock and that motion prevailing what few members there were sitting around forty one chairs were vacant when the motion was put) went off to luncheon

### PROSSER CONTINUES HIS SPEECH.

**An Able and Patriotic Plea for the Children of the Future State**

In the afternoon the convention met at 2 the president in the chair and forty nice new chairs were awaiting occupants when the gavel fell

Dunbar moved to go into committee of the whole again on the state lands article, so voted

Dyer resumed the chair

Prosser continued his argument in favor of retaining school lands in control of the state quoting further from reports of Illinois methods in selling its school lands at tremendous sacrifice. Wisconsin and Michigan's experience were next narrated, and shown to be similar to those of Ohio Indiana and Illinois in the matter of selling for the benefit of purchasers rather than the benefit of the state Both of those states ought to have not less than $50,000,000 each in their school funds, whereas Michigan has only $3 2b1 96: and Wisconsin only $1 165 041 The land was sold on the principle of swapping a horse for a mule, and then selling the mule back for a shilling An other source of loss has been bad investment of the funds received, or outright stealing and still another has been the indifference of the people and the ease with which legislatures have been induced to make changes in the laws an i management of school funds, always to the benefit of speculators, and never for the benefit of the state. Among the more recent examples is the state of C lifornia one of the most progressive of states inhabited by a noble and generous people, and yet it is a striking case where robbery and mismanagement) are resulted in enormous loss to school funds. The land grant was more 5 7l8 324 acres, and the legislature fixed the value of these lands at $1 25 per acre, when some of it was worth $50 per acre Within the last eight years 4,606,276 acres have been applied for and by the laws of California these lands must be sold at $1 25 per acre instead of from $100 to $500 which is their actual value. This is the statute of 1872-72. In 1884 California's school fund was less than $2 650,000, and during that time have absorbed all the best lands and it can be proved beyond a doubt that the California school fund has been actually robbed of over $100,000 000, one of the most stupendous robberies of the world, by acts of the legislature It is almost inconceivable, but can be demonstrated to be true. The constitutional convention of 1878 was in session for months, quibbling over such trifles and not getting in a single resolution on this great gift of land. They are responsible for this gigantic robbery and outrage on the children of California for ages, and it is only charity to say that they may have been ignorant in the premises. Here in this convention of Washington territory should not have occasion to make the plea of ignorance so long as he could raise his voice

Oregon was in a very bad condition also and had shamefully wasted her school fund, but he had not the exact figures to give. Nebraska had the reputation of having managed her school fund better than any of the states

Tibbetts called attention to the empty chairs (there were thirty eight of them) and moved a call of the house, but being in committee of the whole that could not be allowed

Griffiths suggested that the council soon get in shape where a call would be in order

Tibbetts moved that the committee rise and report progress so voted

The president resumed the chair

Dyer reported and leave to sit again was granted.

Tibbetts moved a call of the house had, and by the time it was over only nine seats were vacant

Then Tibbetts moved that further proceedings be dispensed with, and it was so voted.

On motion of Warner the convention went back into committee and Dyer resumed the chair Before recognizing Prosser again the chair delivered, for the seventh or eighth time to day his little speech on preserving order and paying proper respect to the delegate speaking and directed the sergeant at arms to preserve order and remove any body that did not keep quiet.

Prosser resumed, commending favorably on Nebraska's management as contrasted with most other states, but still her school fund was not half what it should be. There a good deal of land has been sold at $7 per acre, but by far the greater portion is under lease. His conclusion and argument was that school lands should never be sold, but leased. Wheat lands now can be leased for 45 to 46 per acre, and in Tacoma and Seattle lots 20x100 are being leased for from $100 to $450 per month, and in Seattle to-day such lots are being so leased with the additional provision that three-story brick buildings shall be put on them and become the property of the lot owner He proposed to insist that the school lands of Washington should never be sold but kept in trust for the state's children. The convention was the only body of men that can control this matter, and they are to be held strictly to their responsibility Whatever of loss, of robbery, shall come of their default will be at their door To leave this matter to any legislature is to disipate the funds and waste the property, and this convention will be wholly and solely responsible At least a million acres cannot be sold at 10 cents an acre now But the timber can be sold for as much as both land and timber together Hence he would sell the timber at once, and in thirty years the lands will be valuable again

He apoligized for taking so much time and yet it was not contended that he had said without entering the strongest protest of which he was capable against any sale of these lands and against any system or plan which shall allow speculators or unwisdom or dishonesty either or all to take away any of this school land property

### OTHER SPEECHES.

**Prosser's Amendment Defeated and the Section Adopted**

Moore said that the last speaker had delivered an able exhaustive, cogent and patriotic speech, and his data has been very instructive and he is entitled to thanks for his labor in accumulating it, and for his speech, and the manner in which he has delivered it I heartily indorse his views and believe that the best interests of the state demand that these lands be kept off the market for a period of years at least. If put on the market now they must come into competition with the government at government prices There are plenty of instances of land which has been sold at an increase of 1000 per cent, and with the prospects before us with our resources already in view we should fail very far short of our duties to permit any arrangement whereby jobbery or anything else this valuable inheritance shall be allowed to pass away in any degree from that posterity which is entitled to them."

Dunbar said that in spite of the speech of Prosser he had not changed his opinion and that was that we could not and ought not to try to fix a ironclad plan for the management of these school lands, but leave that to the legislature who will not be wolves to rob the children or state of their inheritance In the meanwhile, discussion will be going on in the press and among the people, and the legislature will know what is best to do The term robbing' did not affect him this was a question of cool business judgment, whether it was best to sell or hold. Washington territory was, in his opinion in a state of 'boom' and lands might realize as much now as thirty years hence. A man had better give his child a good fair education than neglect his education altogether in order to give his grandchild a magnificent education and we can't sell for any less than $10 an acre in any case and there are three or four sections alone which could be sold for $1 000 000 each and form a school fund available at once for educational purposes.

Cosgrove said much of this land was worthless, and other portions could be used for fruit, and other portions must be cleared at great expense Who would take either kind on a five years lease? The people in his county wanted these lands sold and the $10 provision was an ample security, in his opinion.

Griffiths thought Prosser's speech should have convinced any person that there was no possibility of an argument against the policy of holding these lands. There is scarcely one-third of the school lands in this territory that will now bring $10 per acre, and that is as much as they could be sold at in the first five years. The second third would go in the second five and all that would be left at the end of ten years would be the fag ends of the land, on hillsides and other worth less localities. He was elected on a declaration of policy to reserve the school lands from sale, and proposed to carry out that policy He did not believe in Dunbar's apprehension on the "boom' question, and wished he could take him to Spokane Falls and show him the school section that lay one mile from the city limits. He would guarantee that before he got back he would never be willing to make that "boom" speech, but be quite ready to hold that land and get three or four times as much for it. As to lands that could not be readily leased now their condition would affect their selling price the same as their leasing price, and if five year leases were not long enough, it only needs the consent of congress to make the leases as long as necessary This convention, and not the legislature, is the place to settle this question If so able an argument as that of Colonel Prosser's is not listened to, why should we expect it to be listened to in a legislature, even if he is the re to deliver it?

Gowen called attention to the fact that no part of the principal of the school fund could be spent so that it could not get away, and just such an frighten anybody A other bank and find such an on ibing act that requires a minimum sum of $ 0 per acre Michigan had sold her primary school lands and built a $1,000 000 capital and put a war deb with it The interest was paid into that primary school fund and it was not long in a capital in there the state would be paying it in a capital debt for a war debt The swamp land were granted out in strips for building roads and there's rip of that law went into effect to 50 or 60 cents, but that was not a loss to the state Here in Washington we have the $20 re striction, and the app aisement system and the auction system on top of that

Cosgrove indignantly denied that the Oregon school fund had been squandered and Buchanan's statement was a mistake

The same in Wisconsin

Prosser did not reply to his critics, and his amendment being read again, was lost without a division

The further amendments appearing, poor old section 8 under its new head of section 5 was agreed to

### A LIMIT ON SELLING

**The Section Adopted as Reported From the Committee**

The next section was taken up

Sec. 4. (Now section 6.)—Not more than one third of the lands granted to the state for educational purposes shall be sold prior to January 1 1ss , and not more than two thirds prior to January 1 1900 provided, that nothing herein shall be so construed to prevent the state from selling the timber off of any of said lands in such manner and on such terms as may be prescribed by law and provided further, that no sale of timber lands shall be valid unless the full value of such lands is paid or secured to the state.

Browne offered a substitute, prohibiting the sale of more than one fourth of each section of these lands before January 1, 1895 another one fourth before January 1 1900, and another one fourth before January 1 1905 He favored Prosser's views in the main but did not vote for his substitute because he thought it was not elastic enough and did think that these lands ought to be sold from time to time instead of leasing and that to sell only one fourth of each section would increase the value of that portion remaining. In fact, unless a part was sold none of it would become valuable and this portion sold built up and increases the value of the rest to apply this plan would be thought result in bringing millions into the school funds.

Prosser asked if anyone thought it right to speculate with trust property.

Bryan thought if the state could make money by speculating in the manner he had and stated he was willing it should. Even holding this land as speculating, because it is holding for a rise in value so as to get more money for it. Where-ever it is advisable to lease for long terms, he had no doubt congress would grant the necessary authority whenever the people asked for it.

Cosgrove considered that a very dangerous proposition, with all due deference to the gentleman from Spokane (Browne) What is wanted now is a school fund for schools and teachers, and whatever may be said of California, it has the best and most liberally paid school system of any state in the Union.

Dunbar thought that when once the policy of selling was determined on, the report of the commissioners was a clear and feasible plan as any he had seen He was not expecting to go into the town lot business for not more than one section in a hundred was near enough to any city to be sold in town lots.

Stiles was more and more in favor of the committee's section the more he hears the debate and substitutes. He did not believe this convention knew enough of the circumstances to decide which their leasing or selling ought to be, and was willing to trust the to the best plan, and was willing to trust the legislature He deprecated this constant looking forward to future legislatures as land sharks, robbers and defenders. They were a part of ourselves and it was poor policy to befoul our own nest. He should favor striking out rather than "adding on in future debates on this article, and leaving the legislature with fewer restrictions rather than more.

T M Reed thought it wise and safe to adopt this section just as the committee reported it

Browne replied to Dunbar that his plan of clearing the timber it about $6,000 000 could be sold in the first five years and even if only a half or a quarter of that should be sold we should have a handsome school revenue now and a still greater one in every few years.

Browne's substitute was lost—ayes 17 noes 41

On I M Reed's motion, stiles was included in what could be sold of school lands.

The section was agreed to

### MANNER OF DISPOSAL.

**Valuable Lands Near Cities To Be Platted in Blocks and Lots**

Sec 7.—Not more than one-quarter of a section of any lands of the state shall be offered for sale in one parcel and all lands within the limits of any incorporated city, or within one mile of the boundary of any incorporated city, where the valuation of such land shall be found by appraisement to exceed $200 per acre, shall before the same shall be sold be platted into lots and blocks of not more than four acres in a block and not more than one block shall be offered for sale in one parcel.

Joy proposed to amend so as to provide that the section should apply to school sections any part of which was within one mile of any city limits.

Dunbar opposed and it was lost.

Stiles moved to strike out all except the words 'not more than one-quarter of a section of any lands of the state shall be offered for sale in one parcel,' and argued that to subdivide the land in this manner a mile from some small city not belonging to the republic of 'healthy 'boom' was to make it useless either to sell or to farm Let the legislature attend to this was his reiterated cry

T M. Reed thought the section was right as it is because lands had been sold in Seattle at least $200 per acre before this section applied.

Browne offered a substitute, dropping out the one mile limit and substituting "near any city, reducing the value from $200 to $100 and providing for platting blocks instead of four, and explained his reasons.

Dunbar did not like it, because "near a city" was too indefinite Nor did he like the order the platting of lands not worth over $100 per acre and four was as good to him for this purpose as five.

Lillis favored the committee's section likewise

Browne's amendment was lost.

Stiles withdrew his amendment, and moved to change "four acres" to 'five acres, adopted by 29 to 19

### CONSIDERATION COMPLETED,

**And the Article Reported to the Convention for Action**

The next section disclaimed the right to claim lands under United States patents, and as this has already been provided for, it was stricken out on motion of Dunbar

Lokey moved an additional section (being the minor 7 recommendation signed by himself and Bowen Eskridge Kellogg Joy and Shoudy) giving preference rights of purchase to parties having made valuable improvements on shore lands

Griffiths opposed lost ayes 22 noes 25

Weir moved an additional section to accomplish the same result, going into more detail and limiting the application of this section to valuable improvements made before the date of the roll now in the secretary's possession, and further limiting the time within which parties may take advantage of this section. Weir made an argument in favor

J M Reed called the chair's attention to Weir's wandering away from his subject.

Weir was only drawing a few comparisons and the chair interposing no objection to continued to draw He repeated sub stantially his argument of a few days ago, which was fully reported at the time

Sturdevant offered an amendment "providing however that the person offering to purchase shall be an actual settler," not entertained by the chair though it entertained the convention.

Joy moved a proviso that no shore land shall be sold between any p rt or government work and the navigable water accepted by Weir

Stiles moved to amend so as to grant this purchase right only to parties occupying the up lands fronting such shore lands, that is to remain owners who, however, had gone and made improvements in good faith, believing in their right to do so whereas others went onto these lands knowing that the general holdings of the courts had been against them

The one class he could vote for, the other he could not.

Griffiths criticised the words "so much as shall be necessary' as being an indefinite way of saying how much land those people may purchase, and he opposed the section anyhow

Dodd Dunbar who did not like to see a principle adopted one day and its exact opposite adopted on the next.

Sullivan of Whitman moved a call of the house, but could not do it, as the convention was in committee of the whole.

Weir pleaded for consideration for "such a little one" saying that this affected such an infinitely small portion of the tide land area.

Mires moved to rise and report the article.

Cosgrove wanted to amend that motion, and finally got a chance to do so by asking that the article be printed. His motion failed—20 to 23.

Griffiths moved that the committee rise, lost.

Weir protested against filibustering, and E H Sullivan called him to order

Dunbar moved to rise and report progress, out of order.

Moore moved to rise and report progress; lost.

Dunbar claimed his motion in order and renewed it, viz That the committee rise and report this article.

Kinnear objected again, but the chair ruled it in order this time and put it. It succeeded, ayes 33 noes 28.

The president resumed the chair, and Dyer reported the article to the convention.

E H Sullivan moved to adjourn, carried, ayes 28 noes 25. The convention adjourned to 9 o clock Saturday morning.

Pullman reservations made for all points East via the Northern Pacific railroad, the vestibuled sleeper and dining-car line. Office, No. 121 First street, cor. Washington.

# THE TASK NEARLY DONE

## It Was a Long Lane, but the Turn Is Near.

### TUESDAY WILL BE THE LAST DAY

**The Constitution Will Then Be Submitted to the People for Their Judgment—The Political Outlook—Etc**

OLYMPIA W T Aug 16—The debate on the report of the committee on the state, school and granted lands article is growing tiresome The convention listened to a two hours speech to day by Colonel W T Prosser, of North Yakima who was in favor of holding on to the sections of land. He quoted article after article relative to the school funds of other states that had disappointed in consequence of disposing of the lands at a small figure to not Prosser who is an old member of congress from Tennessee is an efficient talker and the convention listened to a two hours speech to day by Colonel W T Prosser, of North Yakima who was in favor of holding on to the sections of lands

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## OTHER COAST EVENTS.

### A Terrible Tragedy Enacted Near Palouse City.

### ESCAPE OF A NOTED HIGHWAYMAN

### A Decision Affecting the School Book Question in Washington Territory—Capital for Spokane Falls—Etc.

SPOKANE FALLS, W T, Aug 16—A terrible tragedy occurred to-day on Deake's ranch near Palouse City A threshing crew was at work when George Humason appeared, armed with a rifle, and, without warning shot his brother, killing him instantly He fled, and it was accounts had not been captured He had threatened to kill his brother for slandering their sister.

### ESCAPED FROM STATE'S PRISON.

#### A Noted Nevada Stage Robber Regains His Liberty.

CARSON CITY Nev Aug 16—M A Sharp, a noted stage robber who was serving a twenty-year sentence in the Nevada state prison made his escape last night. Sharp was sent up in 1880 for the robbery of a stage in which Wells Fargo & Co messenger W C Jones alias Frank Dow was killed by Mike Tovey a Wells Fargo guard who was afterwards wounded by Sharp during the struggle Sharp and his accomplice Rebel Reed and Pembine his sentence He escaped from the Austin jail, but was recaptured. A large reward is offered for his capture

### THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

#### Its Recent Special Meeting Without Authority of Law.

OLYMPIA W T Aug 16—As previously stated the board of education met in this city in the early part of the present month and reminded its action taken in July last in regard to the change in text books The board was then upon ordered by the court to show cause for such action at the next term of court which was held to-day before Judge Hanna Mr Reed chairman who holds that the law in force in Washington Territory does not empower the board to change text books and the writ came to test books and the writ was therefore denied that in rendering his decision it was held that the special meeting held in August was void and that the resolution made in July was therefore valid thus practically holding that the special meeting held this month was without authority of law

### CAPITAL FOR SPOKANE.

#### Incorporation of a Company With Five Million Dollars.

SPOKANE FALLS, Aug 16—Articles of incorporation were filed to-day by a syndicate of capitalists of Pennsylvania and this city for the organization of the Pennsylvania Mortgage and Trust Company, with capital of $5 000 000 The object of the company is to accumulate and loan funds, to negotiate, purchase and sell mortgages, bonds and other securities and for the transaction of all other business necessary The following have been chosen as trustees William Sims, R J Monghum, Lewis B Hansen Bennett S Walton, Spokane Falls, and Geo F Cavis, of Custer county, Penn J Elmer West of Shreveport, and D M Drumheller R W Forrest, A M Crowley John H Stone H T Loveland and E J Reckell of Spokane Falls The principal place of business will be located in this city

### FROM DAYTON, W T.

#### Fire Destroys Lumber Valued at Eight Thousand Dollars

DAYTON, W T, Aug 16—Grupe Bros lumber, and their old mill site, was totally destroyed by fire early yesterday morning Loss, $8500, insurance, $3000.

The fire was due to campers The mill had been removed but a few days, or the loss would have been greater

The Columbia county institute is in session, with Professor F R Gaunt, of Tacoma in charge The attendance is good

Harvesting is nearly over The average yield is good.

### THE DOUBTFUL STORY

#### Of a Small Boy Who Is Thought to Have Killed His Brother

SAN DIEGO, Aug 16—A small boy named Holmberg on a ranch in the western part of the county, rode to the store on Warner ranch Saturday, and reported that his brother had been killed by a stranger whom he describes has a ragged Dutchman He said that the Dutchman had fired three more shots at him without result.

An officer returned with the boy to the scene of the tragedy and found the brother who was also small boy lying dead on the floor and with a small bullet hole. Searching the house the officer found a bloody knife and pillow. The boy who reported the murder is believed to have killed his brother accidentally but he finally sticks to the original story No trace of the Dutchman can be found

### BURNED TO THE GROUND.

#### Three Brick Buildings Destroyed at Selma, California

SELMA, Cal Aug 16—Early this morning fire destroyed the Cohen building owned by Mrs Cohen a wooden block and all of the Rosenheim building a one story brick and the Hawks Furniture Company's building, a two story brick, also owned by Mrs Cohen The principal losers were J Norris, merchandise $8000, insurance $8000 Mrs C mson, lodging house $1000 fully insured C S Stanton $ 0 0 insurance $1500 J A Jan wski jeweler $1500 fully insured Mrs L Cohen two buildings $2 00 insurance, $4500 The Hawks Furniture Company, $6500 insurance $5000

### FREIGHT RATES FOR SPOKANE

#### Copies of Dispatches Sent by Mr Fulton From Portland

SPOKANE FALLS W T Aug 16—The following telegrams were received to-day

PORTLAND Aug 15

*D H G Stimmel, Agent* Advise Mr Dobson that rates will be put in effect August 1 from Eastern terminus to Spokane Falls a rate of 90 cents per 100 on hay in straight carloads Also the same rate on corn oats and chopped feed, straight or mixed carloads Give this information to the Review S G HUTTON

PORTLAND Aug 16

*H G Stimmel, Agent* I am advised that the price of pressed brick free on board cars at Seattle varies according to the shade and is fixed at this time from $10 to $20 per thousand the lighter being the cheapest, and the price increases the darker the brick in color and the harder they are burned. The average weight is about six pounds each S G HUTTON

PORTLAND August 16

Rates arranged with the Oregon & Washington Territory railway for the application of a special rate of 12½ cents per hundred pounds which is said tariff, on brick on carloads of 0 000 or more each from Walla Walla to Spokane Falls, when consigned to owners of building stone within the named district who have filed a copy of their walking permit with you S G HUTTON

### AN INTERVIEW WITH SHARON

#### He Ex-Senator's Son Refuses to Express an Opinion on the Killing

NEW YORK Aug 16—Frederick W Sharon son of Senator Sharon, who was seen concerning Judge Terry's death, said he was greatly surprised.

"Do you think that Nagle was justified?

"I don't want to talk on the subject was the reply

"Did you expect him to come to Judge Field's defense?

"Judge Terry's threats certainly warranted such a step, but as I understand it the judge in question did not expect any harm to come to him, although he might be made

"What effect will this have on the Sharon case?

"None whatever so far as we are concerned. Why should it have any? Is there any danger of the case going against us?

Sharon expressed himself over and over again in behalf of Judge Field's security, but we did not learn of the killing and would not express an opinion, saying He is dead let him rest

### DEFENDED BY THE UNITED STATES

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 16—United States Attorney Carey received a telegram to-day from the department of justice, instructing him to assume the defense of David Nagle on behalf of the United States government

### CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS.

#### The Blythe Will Contest

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 16—F Carrillo who claimed an unsigned power of attorney from Blythe to file the latter's holographic will for probate was examined in Judge Coffey's court to-day He was also John A Wright attorney for the administrator of the estate The question as to the adoption papers in the matter of considerable importance was omitted The court then adjourned until Monday

#### The Killen Crowd Convicted.

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 16—Jas Kill n the Nevada pugilist, who recently arrived with a prize-fighting crowd from the East his manager Wm Cooling sparring partner Tom Anderson and the manager of a local variety theatre were convicted to-day of violating the anti-prize fighting sparring exhibitions where liquor is sold, and will be sentenced to-morrow

#### Want People to Attend Church

SAN FRANCISCO August 16 The California Sabbath Convention was addressed to-day by Secretary Cox of the Sabbath Union who in the course of his remarks said that the union expected to close the theaters and saloons as well and the churches.

#### Must Pay Extra Duty

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug 16—The Mexican steamer Acapulco arrived here yesterday from Guaymas with a cargo valued at over $40,000 consigned to houses running up town in a way that evades the payment of duties in coin and considerable ore, consigned to the Bank of California. The vessel has been making regular voyages since 1880, her cargoes have been collected no further duties than were paid by American vessels. Yesterday Collector Phelps notified the consignees that their goods could not be landed until an additional duty of 10 per cent, advalorem imposed by the United States statutes of March, 1885, on all merchandise not imported by American vessels should be paid. One of the consignees said that a meeting would probably be held to discuss the matter, and that a majority of the consignees favored sending the vessel to China where the goods could be disposed of at profit

### A Bold Robbery.

NAPA Aug 16—James and Charles Dougherty entered a lodging house this morning, and at the point of a pistol demanded the valuables of the occupants J Swelizer and J Woodin They threatened to shoot if an alarm was given and secured $100 and a gold watch worth $80 Both were arrested later

### A Small Brewery Burned

PETALUMA, Aug 4—This morning a fire broke out in the Petaluma brewery, and in about an hour the building with its contents was destroyed The property was owned by Mrs Caroline Robinson and her loss is about $4000 Henry Gerckens lessee, loses in malt and hops about $2000

### Fell Sixty Feet Down a Well

HAYWARDS Cal Aug 16—Leander Tinekin, of the firm of Tinekin & Allen, while at work in the well of C Winton fell a distance of sixty feet and sustained severe injuries, one of his legs and a number of ribs being broken He was just coming up and had nearly reached the top

### Dr Bowers Released From Custody

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 16—Dr Milton Bowers who has been under bonds and examination for the killing his wife in November 1885 was discharged from custody this afternoon He has been imprisoned in the county jail for over three years.

### Miner Crushed to Death

GRASS VALLEY Aug 16—This morning at 2 o'clock Sticking was killed in the 1600 level of the Empire mine A two tons of rock fell upon him He was single and lived in this city

### THE RIOTOUS HUNS

#### They Vote to Continue the Strike in Certain Localities

LITTLE ROCK Aug 16—At a meeting of the miners and workers of the Coal River works at Scottdale this after on resolutions were adopted to continue the strike at those works where the scale has been signed and requesting those working under the scale to contribute to their relief

A special from Greensburg says Superintendent Hungerman have been committed to jail Allen Parish a woman into who he was about to be forced by knocking the door off with a pick rushed at him with a hatchet and had he not thrown up his rifle one would have struck him There are now but one Hungarian in jail connected with the recent rioting

### News Items From Victoria

VICTORIA B C, Aug 16—Ah Young attempted suicide last night by swallowing a large quantity of rank opium The effort did not in fact by large losses at fan tan, and it is also supposed he is the the individual who burglarized his employers store recently He will recover though he was quite insensible all the 1 st night and morning

Deputy Sheriff Holden of Seattle last night arrested Barney Mart n and wife on the Yale river steamer He is wanted in Seattle for stealing money and jewelry from a lodging house It is said by him in his possession and both have been charged with bringing stolen money into the country

Robert McCarthy, M P, arrived last night, and will probably speak on the Irish question

The steamer Idaho left for Victoria and Portland last night, visited the latter and Puget Sound to-day The remainder arrived to-night.

### Others in Pursuit of a Forger.

MCMINNVILLE, Or Aug 15—A man giving his name as Ripple passed a forged check on the McMinnville National bank at Apperson a store purporting to be signed by Hon J J Henderson One of the bank officers, absent on was called to the check who said that Henderson was not a customer of the bank and gave it as his opinion that the check was a forgery Apperson then passed Ripple off claiming the check who replied that he wanted no trouble about it, and returned the money He has skipped out but officers are in pursuit

### Apperson's store was captured by Marshal Kauffman after an exciting chase of two miles, and surrendered at the muzzle of a shotgun He gave his name as Paul Kipke and claims to have a family at St Johns, in Multnomah county To others he claimed to have relatives in Clackamas county He is lodged in jail

### Minister Phelps To Be the Guest of Blaine.

BANGOR Me Aug 16—William Walter Phelps, United States minister to Germany, passed through here this afternoon, accompanied by his daughter and the Misses Blaine en route to Bar Harbor where he will be the guest of Blaine for a week

### A Negro Lynched

HIGHBEE Mo Aug 16—O s Allen a negro, criminally assaulted Gussie Nicholas 8 years old yesterday, and escaped A posse of men are searching the neighborhood for him and if caught to be hung alive if they should catch him

### Death of Henry Ward Fuller

BOSTON Aug 16—Henry Ward Fuller a prominent lawyer and horticulturist died Wednesday night at Boston Highlands Chief Justice Fuller Joseph Ward the deceased and Margaret Fuller was a near relative

### From China and Japan

VANCOUVER B C, Aug 15—The steamer Port Augusta arrived this morning from Yokohama with freight cabin three steerage passengers one day out Her freight was for the most part silk It was reported that it was the intention of the Canadian Pacific to run steamers from Victoria to China and Japan

### Failure of a Bill Man

PORTLAND Me Aug 11—Moulton Emery & Co and the Portland Biscuit Co and Portland Hotels Association have failed Liabilities and assets are unknown

### Russell Harrison a Clam

NEW YORK Aug 16—The suit of Columbus Sprague by Russell B Harrison for the recovery of money from the estate of Benjamin Harrison deceased was dismissed

### Bunkers Not Wanted

PARIS Aug 16—It is announced that Baron de Rothschild has declined the position of Bonapartist

### Increase of Salaries

WASHINGTON Aug 16—A bill of interest to postmasters was introduced to-day

### ST MARYS HOME ITEMS

#### Several Matters of Interest Connected With This Institution Given by a Correspondent

An occasional correspondent writing from St Marys Home, Washington county says

RYAM Grusse, C P S arrived in the last Friday the 9th inst from Butte Mon He is sent by the Holy Ghost Parish preacher of the congregation of the Most Precious Blood to take charge of the St Marys Home at Beaverton

The basement of the Home is finished nearly now for the winter and the rest will be completed that the boys will be pushed rapidly so as to get the building under roof before the rainy season sets in

Father Grusse intends first to canvass Washington county in behalf of the institution accompanied and assisted by Benton Killin esq who was appointed by the supreme council for that purpose, after which he will go eastward visiting all the Catholic congregations in the archdiocese of Oregon to establish and organize the St Mary's Home Association

At the last meeting of the council Monday the 12th inst, Mr M O Griffin was appointed to take the place of Mr A. Morgan, who lately moved to Montana

The next regular meeting of the supreme council will be held next Sunday 4 o'clock P M at Mr Griffin's office

### BUILDING PERMITS

Gus Rosenblatt was yesterday granted a permit to erect a one story brick building to cost $4 0 0 on the east side of Fourth street between Washington and Alder

Dr McKinnon was granted a permit to repair his brick building on Second street near Salmon, which was recently damaged by fire The repairs will cost $ 700

A J Young took out a permit to build a story and a half house to cost $3600, in King's second addition

D P Thompson and W P Burrell were granted a permit for the construction of the basement of their new dwelling on Second and Ash streets The basement will cost $1 0

### MILITARY NOTES

The following special military orders dated Vancouver August 11 have been issued

By authority of the major general commanding the army, Lieutenant Colonel Mortimer Kellogg, 1st infantry, chief quartermaster of the department, will grant a furlough for four months to Corporal John B Lewis Company B, 1st infantry, to take effect upon the expiration of his enlistment in the army

By authority of the major general commanding the army, the following transfers in the 1st infantry are made Private Charles Bridges, Company B, to Company K, Private Thomas Hall, Company K, to Company B, Private Thomas Hall, Company B, to Company K, Private Charles Bridges, Company K, to Company B

# The Oregonian.

PORTLAND, SATURDAY, AUG. 17


## RECENT REPUBLICAN UTTERANCES.

The republican state convention of Pennsylvania, although being called for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for only one office, that of state treasurer, has nevertheless created some little stir throughout the political camps in other states, by its clearly spoken words regarding the protection of American industries. The opening sentences of the platform, which were adopted unanimously, contain these words:

The doctrines enunciated at Chicago in June 1888 by the national republican party received the indorsement of the people at the polls in the following November. Upon them the Keystone state set the seal of her approval by 80,000 majority. With renewed emphasis we reaffirm those cardinal principles, and again submit them to the electors of Pennsylvania for their approbation.

Here is a gentle reminder to those free-traders in the democratic ranks who are striving to delude themselves and others into a belief that the principles of protection are losing strength among the industrial classes of the Eastern states. We of the Pacific Northwest, whose interests are entwined with wool and lumber and coal, know that the 'industrial classes" on this coast will continue to demand a strong and vigorous policy of protection at the hands of the national government; but there is a constant effort on the part of democratic newspapers of the Pacific coast to show that the majority in this section are on the wrong track. The opening sentences of the Pennsylvania platform declare, with all the power that words can convey, the faith of the republican party in the principles for which it contended during the last presidential campaign, and the purpose of the party to hew closely to the same line in subsequent campaigns. New York, which in 1884 had given a democratic plurality, approved the doctrines enunciated at Chicago, as did also Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Ohio and Illinois. In each of these five states all the great factors of industry, agriculture, manufacturing, mining, shipping and commerce are particularly prosperous. Widely diversified industries are found within these states, and in the cities as well as in the country, with few exceptions, the growth of the republican sentiment was to be noticed. Even in the Southern states there was a marked increase in the republican vote and the people of the Middle states voted as zealously for Harrison and protection as did those of the Western commonwealths. In the face of past events it does not seem likely that there will be any need to make the platform of principles of the republican party in 1892 much different from what it was in 1888. The platform further declares:

We greatly rejoice in the national victory of 1888 for two solid reasons. First, because it was fought and won under Pennsylvania leadership and upon Pennsylvania's platform and, second because the executive and legislative power in the Union has thereby been restored to the republican party, which, within a period of less than thirty years has rescued the country from the perils of rebellion of treacherous reconstruction of financial dishonor, and of reckless industrial legislation, all of which were distinctly involved in the policy or acts of the democratic party as now governed.

In this is manifest a measure of local pride in the chairman of the national committee which is quite pardonable and the republican party all over the country will recognize the clear portrait painting of the Pennsylvania republicans when they speak of "the democratic party as now governed." The sectional leaders of a solid South have that party in 1880 as completely under their control as it was in 1860. It was then as many too well remember, bent numbers as of final dishonor and of reckless industrial legislation."

But let us read on. We find the Pennsylvania platform exceedingly good reading not only to republicans but also to democrats, as it will serve to show the latter the impassable wall which the policy of the present administration is building up between them and their hopes for political preferment three years hence:

We cordially indorse the administration of President Harrison because it steadily devotes itself to the work of broad and intelligent administration by competent and trusty officials, and makes its rule of indexible duty the faithful observance not the hypocritical evasion of the public statutes because it proposes to honestly collect and to disburse the proceeds of public taxation and seeks so to adjust the burdens thereof that those persons and interests able to bear most shall bear most and those able to bear least shall bear least and that in all cases the vexatious and inquisitorial forms of taxation shall be first reduced and abolished because it is pledged to give to suffering communities needed help in the necessary work of public education, in order that thereby the citizenship of this whole country may be elevated because it aims to secure by adequate legislation protection against the offenses of suppressed and miscounted ballots of perverted returns and false certificates of election, and of murderous methods of maintaining the insufferable wrongs which now stain the records of Southern states and touch the honor of the Southern people making of elections a mere mockery, a fraud or farce, whose fruits are a large body of democratic usurpers now assuming to represent those states in the legislative halls of the nation and because more than all else it makes as its cardinal aim in forcible affirm the vindication of the rights of American citizenship and the defense of the honor safety and dignity of all Americans and in domestic affairs the development of our own resources the enhancement of our own interest the enlargement of our own industries and the upbuilding of the labor of our own people against all of which the democratic party stands as an ever present danger and menace.

The paragraph which strongly puts forth the principle of protection "as the corner stone of our political faith" we presented yesterday. There is one point, however, to which we might further call attention.

Pennsylvania democrats have until recently claimed the unique distinction of being democratic protectionists. At last, however, the controlling element in that party not only in the nation but in the state has unequivocally announced itself as opposed to protection.

The party leaders of the Cleve and Stamp are of the rule or ruin sort. They have given up the attempt to conciliate Randall and his friends and if the manufacturing interests of the East can be broken down there will be plenty of cheap labor for the aristocracy of the South. The Pennsylvania republicans say they will "take advantage of this opportunity and thereby deal democracy its deathblow in Pennsylvania." The platform also advocates such amendments to the pension laws as will make adequate provision for all honorably discharged veterans of the late war whose advancing years, wounds or other infirmities disable them from total or partial self support. Those who saved the nation from dissolution should be saved by the nation from penury." These are utterances which all throughout commend themselves to the patriotic people of the United States.

## AFRICAN SLAVE TRADE.

The slave trade revives in Africa because it again becomes a source of vast profit to those engaged in it. The Arab finds a market for human flesh in many parts of the dark continent, off the Zanzibar coast in the Comoro islands and even in Madagascar. Every city in Morocco has its slave mart. In brief almost every Mohammedan town is a receiving and distributing center for slaves. A freshly organized slavin center has just been erected in the heart of one the most hopeful districts in Africa—the north end of Lake Nyassa. Civilizing and mission ary agencies after years of work and after the most serious cost in lives and money, were just beginning to tell upon that country. But everything is now disorganized, paralyzed and put to confusion.

Henry M. Stanley explored the province of Manyema, on the river Lualaba, and surrounding region, in 1877. It then contained 5,000,000 inhabitants, occupying an area of 1000 by 300 miles. Six years later he returned, but the villages had disappeared and the only evidence of life was the tents of the slave traders, with their chained victims—the most mournful sight the human eye could gaze upon. The Koran permits slavery, and half a million each year are ruthlessly dragged to bondage, and when it is remembered that three perish for every one that reaches the slave market alive it can easily be seen that the depopulation of Africa is going on at a most destructive rate. It has been estimated that at this rate in half a century the aborigines of Central Africa will become annihilated and the country a scene of desolate waste.

Civilized Europe is aroused at the unholy picture thus presented. A defense fund has been energetically started in Scotland, and anti-slavery societies are being established throughout Germany, France, Belgium, Italy, Spain, England and other countries of Europe. Large sums of money are pouring into their treasuries. Pope Leo XIII having headed the subscription lists with a donation of 300,000 francs. The German reichstag has adopted an anti-slavery policy and is co-operating with England in a blockade of the Zanzibar coast. This is good as far as it goes, but the real evil lies in the heart of the country and to achieve the desired result both England and Germany who have large interests in Africa must strike for the interior and deal the death blow to the most gigantic international evil of modern times.

Professor Drummond in *Scribner's Magazine* asks: What will America do to help? She has never been provincial. She must not become so. So manifold and pressing are now the interests of her own great country that she might also be pardoned if she did. But the world will be bewildered and disappointed if she seperates herself now from the rest of mankind in facing those great wrongs of humanity from which seas cannot divide her and which her poorer brethren in every part of Europe are giving themselves to relieve. American does well in refusing the entanglements of European politics. Let her be careful lest she isolate herself from its humanities." The United States has not been laggardly in her expenditures of blood and money toward the extermination of slavery, nor will the American people remain unmoved at the spectacle of the prevalence of the evil in any distant country.

## MERELY RACE PREJUDICE.

Charles Dudley Warner in a recent discourse at the University of the South at Sewanee, Tenn., spoke on the race question and advised the Southern states to require for the exercise of the suffrage an educational qualification. The complaint against negro suffrage in the South he said was that in many localities its effect was to "put ignorance over intelligence." Mr. Warner said: "You are in an illogical position before the law. Now would you not gain more in rectification of your position than you would lose in other ways, by making suffrage depend upon an educational qualification? I do not mean gain party wise, but in political morals and general prosperity. Time would certainly be gained by this, and it is possible in this shifting world, in the growth of industries and in the flow of populations that before the question of supremacy was again upon you foreign and industrial immigration would restore the race balance."

*The Age Herald* of Birmingham, Ala., publishes Mr. Warner's speech, but says his suggestion cannot be accepted in the South, because of the large number of illiterate whites.

So then it is not solely or chiefly because the negro is illiterate that he is denied in the South his constitutional right to vote. The number of illiterate whites is so large that no educational test for the suffrage could be enforced there. White ignorance may vote but black ignorance may not. The objection therefore to negro suffrage in the South is not that it puts ignorance over intelligence. This is mere pretence and subterfuge. The real ground of the opposition is race prejudice.

## THE OUTSIDE VIEW.

Economic questions are so interwoven with party politics in this country that all expressions of opinion on such questions are held under suspicion of partisan bias. A foreign view of such questions is therefore interesting. The annexed is taken from the *Canadian Manufacturer*:

The manufacture of Bessemer steel ingots in the United States did not assume any large proportions until 1865, while that country was still suffering from the effects of the war of the rebellion but in four years—in 1873—the production had increased from 8,500 tons to 120 000 tons as against 410 000 tons made in that year in Great Britain but ten years later—in 1882—the production in the two countries was substantially the same while in 1887 the production in the United States exceeded that of Great Britain by 1,500,000 tons.

Protection has wrought this marvelous advance in the iron and steel trades of the United States and has made that country the decided superior of Britain. If protection will do so much for the United states why would it not do as much for Canada? The natural advantages of Canada are certainly as great as those of our neighbors and a persistent determination to rise to the same plane will elevate her to it.

## QUESTIONS TO SETTLE.

A writer alluding to the great changes wrought in human affairs by the discoveries made in steam and electricity and the uses to which these agencies of force are now applied practically annihilating time and space says:

A few hundred years ago people in different countries were almost as great strangers to each other as if they lived in a different world. Separation even by a few hundred miles made it impossible to have a community of interests. But now electricity and steam have brought all mankind so close together that we cannot but take an intimate interest in all our fellowmen. There are now practical, social and economic problems to come up for solution.

These great problems have been partly collated by an exchange as follows:

The tenure of land the law of interest the distribution of wealth the relations of labor and capital the tramp nuisance the means of communication are the questions from which have developed our overwhelming social problem. All these have been revised and reconstructed time and again from age to age and all experience is to have been failures they are to be revised again and all are subjects for the concentrated mind of earnest thought of all people.

The growing inequality, the vast accumulation of wealth and the wide-spread poverty the oppression of the many by the few the stress of competition the steady and irresistible fall in prices, the monopolization of vast fields of labor by speculative capitalists condemning the industry formerly occupying them to starvation and idleness—all these evils demand the most serious consideration at the hands of the people, who alone are capable of providing a remedy and snatching the nation from the hydra wealth and selfishness which is crushing the life out of it and making it a prey.

Let every organization begin a regular study and discussion of these most startling questions, and as rapidly as possible obtain a full appreciation of the terrible conditions so that all may act in harmony and provide a means of relief.

As to the tenure of land and the distribution of wealth, nothing of modern discovery can materially change the relations of individuals to land-tenures, though modern enterprise and invention are calculated to modify in some degree the laws of trade and even the usages of society, but the principle of right remain unchanged if there may be some modification of their application to suit a new order of things. There must and will be modification and revision of the relations of land and capital in various forms to labor to protect it from the encroachment that time naturally effects.

The great question of our day relates to the division of wealth and the protection of labor. As means of acquiring wealth increase the necessity arises to protect labor from the combinations and monopolies that so often control the staples of life. Even land is bought under false pretenses and owned by capitalists in great bodies, while the public domain should be held in trust as homes for the people of the future. The last paragraph quoted goes to the root of the matter when it urges labor organizations to begin a regular study of all the economic questions that now startle the laboring world and act in harmony to provide means of relief.

Conditions of a political nature in America confer all necessary rights and privileges on labor, for by our constitutions and laws every voter is sovereign. If the majority are laborers and all who labor will act in unison the ballot-box can rectify many evils. The majority of voters belong to the laboring class and their votes can control legislation and direct the government, if the voters can act in harmony and work with judgment. Labor is the fabled giant that only needs to stretch his limbs to snap the fetters that bind him.

## IMPROVEMENT OF THE NAVY.

Secretary Tracy of the navy bureau has shown during his brief term of office great executive ability and the country is likely to witness, during his administration substantial progress toward an efficient navy. The plan of the government, allowing a bonus of $50 000 for every quarter knot made by the ship in excess of the contract speed and a deduction of a like amount whenever the speed falls below that agreed upon is conducive to good results. But the main point wherein the secretary shows thorough business sense, is in equalizing the conditions of the speed and turning trials of new vessels. There is a difference between a government test that is to form the basis of an official record and a mere contractor's trial for acceptance. Under certain conditions it is quite possible for an inferior vessel to make a better record than one greatly its superior. The quality of coal, expertness of stokers and condition of the sea each has its bearing upon the development of speed, but the secretary applies to all vessels constructed under contract for the government the same test by applying substantially the same comparative scientific conditions. It can readily be observed that this is fair and just both to the government and to the builder. It has been urged against the system of granting premiums that the government is likely to be imposed on, by ship builders who will secure contracts upon low conditions and secure prices largely in excess of actual value by building better ships than the contract calls for. But four cases are before the public. The Charleston, Petrel and Baltimore failed to fulfill their contract speed but the Yorktown surpassed the horse power for which her builder contracted. There will be no fear that contracts will be let upon too low a standard or that ship builders will wax rich in premiums. The government can well afford to pay richly for the best ships that can be built and if better work is to result from premium offering let the system be continued. In addition the secretary will add rest himself in the improvement of our merchant marine. he will have achieved a great thing toward national welfare.

## MR. HILGARD'S REPORT ON WHEAT.

The importance of good seed of suitable varieties of wheat for planting to get the best returns as well as the best quality of grain for the use of wheat growers, must be apparent to any one who is interested in production. The old Hudson Bay white winter wheat that was introduced here by the Hudson's Bay Company in the early days when it encouraged wheat production to fill its contracts with the Russian colonies at the North proved to be excellent and especially adapted to the needs of this region. It has never been entirely superseded though various other winter wheats have been tried with more or less success. It is claimed that seed loses its excellence with continuous planting, but there is no change made that the old favorite white winter wheat has lost its excellence, though half a century has passed since it was first introduced. While it is not supposed that this wheat has deteriorated with us, occasionally there have been new efforts made to get the excellence of other wheats and prove their value. As years pass by wheat production becomes of less importance to Western Oregon, and becomes more and more important as the prime staple of production east of the Cascades, for the time is at hand when the wheat crop of the Inland empire will exert a decided influence on the markets of the Old World. From a grazing region the inland empire has developed capacity to produce wheat on an immense scale, and very naturally there are enterprising people there who are disposed to test the question of seed wheats thoroughly and introduce, if possible the best wheats known that shall prove suitable to their region. A recent sale of the Walla Walla *States man* has the following that shows the progress made in the direction of securing good seed wheats for the upper country:

For a meeting just it has been well known that Mr. William B. Reed of Reed & Co. was deeply interested in ascertaining the very best that could be done in the matter of wheat raising in the Walla Walla valley. Some two years ago he began a system of experiments in order to find what he considered to be the best and most economical wheat for our farmers to raise. Specimens have been carried on in a systematic manner and he has kept a record of the results obtained. Yesterday he received from the Secretary of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., a report of the results obtained from his experiments, which will be found of great interest to farmers throughout the country. He has many new varieties on hand, not yet been tested by the farmers here at all. The growth of each variety has been carefully watched and the peculiarities carefully noted and recorded. It is a well known fact that this has been a year in which to have a community of interests. But now electricity and steam have brought all mankind so close together that we cannot but take an intimate interest in all our fellowmen. There are now practical, social and economic problems to come up for solution.

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## COMPARISON OF WAGES.

The great mass of Americans do not approve of the ideas of Henry George, by which he proposes to abolish poverty, but his sincerity is not questioned and he has the faculty of telling truth that is not altogether pleasing to his free trade friends. In his speech in New York responding to the welcome of those gathered to greet him he said: The average condition of the working people in this country is better than in any other part of the world. This in face of the fact that he had just returned from an extensive tour among the workingmen of England.

We have a very excellent opportunity to prove that actual statistics will support the statement made by Henry George. The bureau of labor and industrial statistics of Wisconsin has published a table which shows the comparative purchasing power in quantities of wheat bread meat or butter of the wages received for ten hours labor in certain European countries and in that state. The wages given are for skilled blacksmiths and all are reduced to the standard of one pound sixteen ounces avoirdupois. It appears from this statement that the Wisconsin blacksmith can buy with one day's earnings forty pounds of wheaten bread or fourteen pounds of meat or sixteen pounds of pork or ten pounds of butter. His fellow craftsmen in Germany could buy with his wages only thirty pounds of bread five and a half pounds of meat, five pounds of pork or three and a half pounds of butter. The Swedish blacksmith could buy only thirteen and a fourth pounds of bread, seven and a three fourths pounds of meat five and a half pounds of pork or two and a half pounds of butter. the Italian could buy a little more bread than the Swedish, but considerably less of the other commodities. In Great Britain the blacksmith can buy only nine pounds of meat eleven of pork or five and a half of butter is compared with the fourteen pounds of meat sixteen of pork and ten of butter which represent the convalent in food of the wages of his more fortunate American brother.

In no instance has the foreign workman an advantage. The American workman can buy more of the absolute necessaries of life than can the laborers of Holland, England, France, Belgium, Denmark or Italy. It is suggested that the native workmen bear these facts in mind when the free trade orator seeks to prove that protection lights the property of the nation.

The report of Wallace R. Struble secretary of the Oregon immigration board for the month of July just rendered, shows the exact number of visitors registered at the office of the board was 1,093; the number of visitors registered for March was 1,117; for April 851 and for July 1,117. The latter number is in excess of 700 over the month of July 1888, while 1,117 persons registered at the office during the month of July 1889. It is the opinion of the secretary that the immigration during the year 1889 is likely to reach the number of 100 000. We are inclined to regard this estimate as somewhat excessive, but there is no doubt of the fact that thousands of desirable settlers have arrived and are still coming to the state and there is no doubt also regarding the great service rendered to the state by the board of immigration. The money used in procuring the work of inducing immigration is money most judiciously expended and it would be an excellent idea to place even more funds at the disposal of the board.

Senator Voorhees in his recent speech at Boonville, Ind. made some statements that will not stand the tests of investigation. He said that the American is compelled to pay for carpets from 40 to 67 per cent more than they are worth and that the clothing worn costs twice as much as it would if we done away with the tariff. Reliable wool manufacturers of Montgomery, Lafayette and Fountain counties, Indiana, have published statements showing that the duty on wool is not over 10 per cent on the value of the goods. The duty on carpets is 40 per cent. Senator Voorhees in his recent speech at Boonville, Ind. made some statements that will not stand the tests of investigation. He said that the American is compelled to pay for carpets from 40 to 67 per cent more than they are worth and that the clothing worn costs twice as much as it would if we done away with the tariff. Reliable wool manufacturers of Montgomery, Lafayette and Fountain counties, Indiana, have published statements showing that the duty on wool is not over 10 per cent on the value of the goods. The duty on carpets is 40 per cent.

The death of Arthur Warner of Cleveland, O., has closed the life of an active and honored man who had been a citizen of Oregon for more than a third of a century. The young men who for more than a generation have played an active part in our civilization brings home with startling distinctness the fact that early Oregon will soon pass from the realm of memory made real by the personal experiences of living witnesses to become a history the splendid pages of which will deal with events rather than with the men and women who had part in them. Oregon City was the center of early territorial civilization and most of those who bore an honored part therein sleep in the cemetery on the hill above the city. The names on the slabs and monuments that mark the places of their eternal rest are suggestive of lives of earnest honorable endeavor and of the success that was its upon it.

Ebenezer Allen, the defaulting ex-president of a street railroad in New York city confessed having over issued $500 000 stock and yesterday was sentenced to a term of four teen years in prison. It is said Judge Barrett's sentence was worthy of special note from the fact of the rapidity with which justice was meted out to the evil doer. His crime was only discovered about a week ago. The only redeeming feature in the case is that the man confessed and saved the county the expense of what would no doubt have been a long and tedious trial. As usual the criminal thought of wife and family when it was too late. A few cases as quickly dealt with as this one will have a tendency to lessen crime of this peculiarly shocking nature.

The Oregonian has given the fruit growers of this region all the information they have as yet for overcoming the codling moth and there is no other insect that is really dangerous or destructive. The common apple comes in and goes, and so does the woolly pine but the codling moth goes on forever. The use of London purple will make away with its worms and the next important matter to consider is the fungus growth that is so damaging to apples and pears. The University of California found spraying with sulphide of soda effective in very bad cases, and that or some other remedy must be called in to preserve the good looks and protect the good flavor of our apples and pears. There will be nothing more to say or do now but Iowa do spring it will be advisable to commence a war on the fungus.

Judge Reid has been arrested but all who possess the least knowledge of law are aware that this is a mere matter of form. the judge has committed no crime except it be crime to have been assaulted by a desperado. There could not have been the shadow of complicity between the judge and deputy marshal as the latter was not under orders from the former, but from the department of national justice at Washington nor did the judge at the time of the assault request protect on from the marshal.

Mr. Kentero Kaneko has been appointed by the Japanese government a commissioner to examine into and report upon the legislative system of the United States. The gentleman is well fitted for the work as he has received a thorough American training at Boston and Cambridge. His desire to study the political systems of other countries for use in the opening of the parliament of Japan shows progress and intelligence.

The *Weste n Reporter* is the title of a paper published in the interest of the colored residents of Portland Seattle Tacoma and Spokane Falls. Mr. James A. Ross is the editor, and it will be his policy to aid the colored race in every possible manner. There is a field here for such an enterprise and ability in this as in all other pursuits will meet with recognition.

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To the wife of George L. Combe at his residence at the corner of Fifth and Sixteenth streets, Portland, Or., to the wife of W. H. Donaldson, a daughter.

## FUNERAL NOTICE.

Died, in this city, Friday, August 16, 1889, Aaron Meier, a native of Mottenheim by Worms, Germany, aged 58 years.

Funeral from his late residence on the southeast corner of Eighth and Morrison streets, Sunday, August 18, at 10 A. M. No flowers.


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WANTED—$3000. $6 to 8 per cent for 1 to 3 years on first class real estate security. Address B. F. W., care Oregonian.

CHANGE OF PROGRAMME. Mr. Edgar Fish, the well known artist, will sell on installments to parties desiring pictures, frames, etc. Call at 170 First st., corner of Clay.

GOOD BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY. For sale, the business and fixtures of the Portland Steam Laundry, 51 Fourth st. Good reasons for selling. Call on or address the above.

CASCADE WARM SPRINGS. Health resort. Hot baths, hot soda water, duck shooting, fishing, boating, bathing, for sale or lease. Apply to McCOSH, 68 Second st.

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WANTED. A cook in every city and town in Oregon and Washington Territory, for the sale of lands in the Eastern States. All applications must be in by August 15, 1889. EUGENE D. WHITE.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC. We have to caution the public against buying Lace Curtains from peddlers, as we have no agents. Straight cash only. All goods sold at prices. Cascade Lace Curtain Store, 150 Morrison st., between Fourth and Fifth. J. W. MOORE.

FOR SALE. SIX ROOM hard-finished cottage on Motor Line. Lot 50x115 cleared and fenced. $1000—$400 down, and balance at $10 per month, with interest. INSTALLMENT BUILDING & LOAN CO., 7 Stark street.



## NEW TO-DAY.

PROPOSALS INVITED — THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Oregon State Insane Asylum hereby invite sealed proposals for the building of a wing to the State Asylum, pursuant to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of A. Bauer, architect, Salem, Or. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Bids will be opened at 2 o'clock P. M. on Monday, Sept. 2, 1889. SYLVESTER PENNOYER, Gov. W. McBRIDE, Sec. WEBB, Treasurer. Board of Trustees.

WM. A. MUNLY, Clerk of Board. 15td2

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$4500 LODGING HOUSE 45 ROOMS $150 per month clear. $4000 Livery stable on Grand. $3500—Lodging house 30 rooms, full. $2500 to $1000—Good business chances. Telephone 615. O. Yamhill. PLATO'S AGENCY.

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FOR SALE—A NEW FLAT BOAT, 8 GOOD living rooms, kitchen and closet, yard all around, with a good railing. Will sell cheap or trade for team; family now living on it foot of Lincoln at present. There are nearly as large as 16 feet of water where it is moored. Inquire on board. 17tf4

WANTED—SEPT. 1, BY GENT AND WIFE, one or two unfurnished rooms with board, where home comforts can be had; would prefer private family. Terms must be reasonable. Address J. H. M., care Oregonian. 17td2

NOTICE. WE HAVE NO CONNECTION WHATever with the Portland Lumbering & Manufacturing Co., per P. O. Box 897. Our only place is with the Portland Lumbering & Manufacturing Co., per S. Pennoyer. 20tf1mo*

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LOST OR STOLEN—FROM THE WHARF of the steamer Ashley and Dalles, belonging to A. Anderson, papers in the chest are of no value except to owner. Leave at Oregonian office. 17td

WANTED—A GOOD STRONG ACTIVE YOUNG woman about 18 years of age to work in white family in the city. Address in own handwriting Bluelight, care Oregonian. 17td

WANTED—A TEACHER WITH SIX YEARS' experience as principal of city schools wants a position immediately; best of references. Address M. A., care Oregonian.

$2000 BEST HOTEL IN A GOOD TOWN does a thriving business; house has 25 rooms; rent $40 per month. WEST & STEARNS, 12 Stark st. 16td*

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FOR RENT—A FURNISHED ROOM IN FRONT of my residence, 1 block northeast of Portland Academy. Apply 127 Park st. 17td

YOUNG GIRL WANTED TO ASSIST IN housework. Apply 2, 86 Sixth st., corner of Lincoln. 17td

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN GENERAL Housework; family of two at 186 Ninth st., cor. Morrison. 17td

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FOR SALE—TOWN TRUCK ON COMMISSION. Will sell factory and store No. 242 First st., cor. of Main. 17td*

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## PORTLAND AND VICINITY.

YOUNG WOOL THIEVES.—Two lads named C S Rinehard & P Schrader were arrested by Officer Barry yesterday afternoon on a charge of stealing wool from the steamship dock Mr Will Jones, the superintendent of the dock, noticed some days ago that a window opening into the freight shed on the end where the wool is stored, had been broken in. On making an investigation, he found that a small sack, and a portion of a large sack of wool were stolen. The theft was communicated to Officer Barry. It was ascertained that the two boys had sold some to Rosenland Bros., and from this clue the above were apprehended. Two of the young prisoners admit that they sold the wool, but say they claim to have bought it from a Columbia River farmer.

Y. M. C. A. GYMNASIUM.—The gymnasium rooms of the Y. M. C. A. are about to be reopened under the management of E. W. McCaslin, a professional instructor, who for a number of years has had charge of the Y. M. C. A. rooms at Olympia. The rooms are being overhauled, the machinery is being repaired and a number of new gymnastic appliances will be put in to make the gymnasium complete in all its appointments. Classes will be formed for native work as soon as all improvements are completed. Mr McCaslin comes well recommended as an experienced instructor, and there is no reason to doubt that the enterprise will be largely patronized and he enthusiasm will be kept up. It is time once more the useful institution it once was.

LONG HAUL AND SHORT HAUL.—An English mechanic who is a recent arrival in this city, has come to an understanding regarding the meaning of the long and short haul clause as applied to freight and transportation. He had his tool chest weighing perhaps 200 pounds, shipped from Liverpool, England, to Portland. The freight charges was $1 50. This is the long haul. Here in Portland he hired an expressman to take his tool chest across the river to East Portland. The expressman charged him $1 25, and he has come to the conclusion that this is the short haul. In connection upon the justice of these charges he says nothing but "damn" to say, when he refers to the short haul clause.

WHY THE DELAY IN REBUILDING?—The Portland bath house is in a sad state of dilapidation. The collision with the steamer Three Sisters left it a bad wreck, and for some reason the work of reconstruction has not yet been commenced. It looks much as if it had been borne down upon by a battering ram. The entire north west corner, where the greatest damage was done, is submerged in the water. The corner tank is smashed into smithereens and several others were damaged by the jar of the collision. Each time a wave washing up against it causes a squeak and fast is not repaired soon it will become a total wreck through gradual disintegration.

ACCIDENT TO A LONGSHOREMAN.—John Hay man, a longshoreman working on board the English ship Tillie E. Starbuck, at the O. C. dock met with a serious fall about half past 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Hayman was engaged in putting some of the rigging between decks when he missed his footing and fell to the lower hold, a distance of about twelve feet. He was unconscious for a few moments after the fall, but soon recovered and was then conveyed to his home on Front, between Eighth and Ninth. The exact extent of his injuries could not be ascertained, but it is believed that he was hurt internally. No bones were broken.

JAPANESE AERIAL EXHIBITION.—Professor Charles A. Doyle will give his free Japanese aerial exhibition at the Riverside race course tomorrow afternoon. Owing to the absence of any breeze, the exhibition given at City View park last Sunday was not an entire success and Professor Doyle is desirous of showing the exhibition at its best. The aerial display of fantastic Japanese figures is something entirely new on this coast. Besides this exhibition there will be a race between J. Taylor champion long distance runner of the coast and an unknown, and other features to be decided on later.

THE STAGE ROBBERS HELD TO ANSWER.—The accused Bonanza stage robbers, Samuel Walker and James Dodd, were arraigned before United States Commissioner Paul R. Deady at half past 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Although four witnesses living in the vicinity of Bonanza were subpœnaed, their testimony was not needed for the prisoners waived examination. Commissioner Deady fixed the bail at $4000 which practically amounts to holding them without bail. They were not able to get bondsmen to this amount and in default were committed to the county jail.

THE LAST DAY.—The tax payers of Multnomah county should remember that this is the last day on which the assessor will receive statements of their property. After 5 o'clock P. M. the door of the assessor's office will be locked to give the assessor and his assistants time to have the roll ready for the board of equalization which will meet at the office of the county clerk on Monday, August 26. Tax payers should hurry up and bring in their statements before said day, so will avoid mistakes and save trouble for themselves and the assessor.

BIRDS IS STILL ALIVE.—Fred Beinse, the Kelso butcher, who attempted suicide by cutting the back of his neck with a butcher knife, is still alive though in a very precarious condition. He is perfectly rational, and apparently real sorry his situation. The physicians will not allow him to speak, as a little excitement is liable to lead to fatal results. The wound is so large and so deep that there is just a bare possibility of his recovery should a change for the worse take place, it will reveal itself either to-day or to-morrow.

GOSS IS KNOWN IN WALLULA.—A gentleman writing from Arlington states that the name of the man who shot John Miller in the eye is Ernest Goss, and not Cross as has heretofore been reported. Goss, he says is well known in Wallula, where he tended bar. On an occasion Cross drew a gun on a drunken man but was prevented from using it by the bystanders. He was arrested for robbing his employer of money and some silver spoons, but finally got clear and left for parts unknown.

VERY LARGE GOOSEBERRIES.—Six mammoth gooseberries, preserved in a small glass jar, have been sent to this office as a sample of what Oregon soil and climate can produce in the berry line. These berries were raised by Mr J. A. Richards who lives five miles east of Michaina near the line of the Oregon Pacific railroad. The fruit has attained a very large size—about half the size of an ordinary hen's egg. In jar and contents will be donated to the board of immigration.

CRUSHED BY A ROCK.—News of a fatal accident has been received here from Vancouver. Thursday, Andrew Starr one of the men employed at Rimble's quarry was instantly killed by a large stone falling on him. By some means a rock became loose near the top of the cliff, and slid down upon the unfortunate man. Death was instantaneous. Starr's body was very badly mangled. The body was removed to Vancouver. No inquest was held over the remains.

NOT VERY PARTICULAR.—No prices were mentioned in J. Selling & Co.'s parasol sale as they don't care what they bring. Besides these the following attractions are added to the balance of summer shawls in cream cotton, 100 loads wide buckle suspenders, new style. Also a lot of fancy lace pins. Parisian diamond fancy pins at 5 cents. Balance of men's summer underwear, six dozen stylish unlaundried shirts, just received and an assortment of ladies' hosiery.

TO HER OWN HOME.—Mrs Emily Bailey formerly of Clackamas county, but now a resident of Bellwood, started on a few days ago on the overland train to visit her many friends in Iowa. She expects to be absent about two months. On her return she expects to visit her daughter at Golden Colorado. Mrs Bailey is one of the old pioneers of this early settlement, and has never seen her Eastern home since she left it years ago.

THE WALDENSES.—The Waldenses are now celebrating in their homes and churches among the Alps the two hundredth anniversary of their glorious return to their native land. It began two hundred years ago last month. Rev. Warren H. Landon D. D. will preach a sermon in commemoration of the event on next Sunday Calvary Presbyterian church to-morrow morning.

WILL GET A FREE HEARING.—Councilman Farrell, chairman of the committee appointed by Mayor DeLashmutt to confer with the authorities of East Portland and Albina, has written letters to Mayors Stewart and Lauchlan of those cities suggesting a conference. The conference will probably be held when the East Portland and Albina councils hold on the communication.

WITNESSES CAN GET THEIR FEES.—Hope holding orders for witness fees in the United States court have been unable to get them on account owing to a shortage of funds. The appropriation for 1889 had been exhausted. Now, however, there will be able to get their money for United States Marshal Myers has just received enough to meet all demands.

A LOGGER INJURED.—Wednesday morning says an Astoria paper, a man named Archie M. Dunald, working at Council's logging camp at Skamokawa had his shoulder and left arm very badly crushed by a log rolling on him. He was brought down on the S. G. steamer and taken to St. Mary's hospital for medical attendance.

THE ATTRACTION AND NOVELTY OF THE SEASON.—There will be a grand excursion and concert Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock on the fine new steamer Shaver from the foot of Alder street to Vancouver and return given by the young ladies of Emanuel Baptist church. Round trip 50 cents.

FIGHTING FIRE.—A correspondent writing from Reedville, Washington county, under date of August 15 says: "Timber fires are now raging in Washington county. People living in Portland have their own property out there had better take warning and look after their property before it is too late."

THREATENED TO SHOOT HIS WIFE.—Mrs Sarah Brandon has brought suit in the state circuit court for divorce from R. Hart Brandon to whom she was married in Walla county eleven years ago. She complains that her husband assaulted her cruelly, and has threatened to shoot her.

THE BIGGEST slaughter ever known takes place to-day at Kohn's, Second and Morrison streets. Elegant fancy vests $1 25 each regular price $2 50.

HUNTLEY & PALMER'S arrow root combination Huntley macaroons biscuit. L. B. Mayer, 70 Morrison.

THE STEAMER ALLIANCE sails to-night, at 7 o'clock, for Grays Harbor.

THE PULPITS.—The pulpit of the First Presbyterian church will be filled to-morrow by Rev W. S. Holt. Rev D. O. Ghormley will be back in time to fill his own pulpit the following Sunday.

ASTORIA AND ILWACO.—Steamer R. R. Thompson will leave Ash street dock at 10 o'clock to night, making direct connection at Astoria with the Potter for Ilwaco and the beach.

EXAMINATION OF TEACHERS.—The third quarterly examination of teachers will begin in the Central school building, East Portland, on the 26th, at 1 P. M.

SUNDAY ON THE BEACH.—Turbine leaves at 8 and Undine at 10 to night making close connections with Canby and special train for the beach.

DON'T OVERLOOK Kohn's great pants sale if you want bargains. $5 pants $3.

## EXHIBIT OF OREGON PRODUCTS

### A Splendid Collection of Fruits, Grains, Grasses, Etc., That Are To Be Sent East to Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Soon.

Professor McElroy, who has been at work for months working up an interest in this state to secure a good exhibit of all the products as well as of its various resources has not succeeded as well as he hoped and had reason to expect at one time but will be able to give the crowds to assemble soon at Milwaukee at the Grand Army encampment for 1889, an idea of what Oregon can produce and what its immense resources are.

The following list comprises what was collected at Salem by the Oregon Land Company, a real estate concern that has done a large business in city and farm lands at and near Salem and has shown great enterprise and uncommon liberality in all that tended to advance Oregon interests in general, and in this effort of Professor McElroy in particular. They will expend more of their own money to make this exhibit, than will be spent from all other sources and to them it is chiefly due that it has the value it really possesses, for it is probably the best exhibit of the kind ever made.

It was not easy to get a good assortment of fruits to represent Oregon at this season because those that are ripe would hardly keep through the month, and late fruits would not ripen if picked now. Professor McElroy however will have several hundred boxes of choice prunes, pears, etc. that will be used for general distribution. These include 100 boxes of the magnificent Hungarian prune from the Clarke orchard near Salem, and Italians furnished by Wm. Gilman, of Polk county, and will afford a taste from the orchards of the state.

WHAT THE LIST CONTAINS.

The following list gives a general idea of the character of the collection in general. Oregon's exhibit at the national encampment prepared by the Oregon Land Company of Salem to be held at Milwaukee Wis. beginning August 27. Following is a list of some of the samples:

Fruits (put up in glass jars).—Yellow egg plum, peach plum, Columbia plum, Washington plum, Italian prune, Hungarian prune, silver prune, German prune, Bartlett pear, sickle pear, winter bellis pound pear, gooseberry, strawberry, blackberry, huckleberry, raspberry, currants, cherries, peaches, nectarines, apples, apricots, quinces, grapes.

Grain.—Twenty seven different specimens and 24 single bunches of wheat grown from one grain from 34 to 100 each, consisting of 680 bunches.

Large sunflowers, Irish potato vine 8 feet high, sweet clover, onions, 16 stalks from 1 seed from the garden of O. Dickinson, tobacco plants, maize, hazel brush 5 to 6 inches in diameter, every kind of vegetable, elder bush 25 inches in diameter this year's growth 20 feet high.

Native grass, 40 different kinds, consisting of 156 bunches, timothy 90 bunches, running from 4 to 8½ feet high, clover 20 bunches.

And have and printed 20,000 folders, 20,000 pamphlets and 20,000 fancy cards, they have had put up 10,000 small sacks of wheat, barley and oats taken in bulk and given away, and many other magnificent specimens.

There is also a splendid exhibit from Linn, Lane, Polk and Benton counties, furnished by parties from those counties that cannot be enumerated but comprise a great variety of the finest specimens grown in those counties of their agricultural and horticultural products.

## WADDELL HELD TO ANSWER

### He Is Charged With Obstructing the United States Mail. William Cain, Co-defendant, Discharged.

At her Waddell and William Cain were arraigned before United States Commissioner Woodward yesterday morning in a charge of obstructing the United States mails. From the evidence adduced at the examination into the facts of the case are about as follows:

Last Tuesday afternoon at or about 5 o'clock the Oregonian railway passenger train which was carrying the mail passed the little station of Aims in Yamhill county. A spark falling from the locomotive set fire to a fence on the land of A. M. Waddell's father. The fence inclosed a hayfield and as soon as the fire was noticed a party of men went out with water buckets to extinguish the flames. The fence was close to the railroad track and some of the rails were thrown upon it for a distance of about eight feet.

When the fire was finally extinguished the train was late and Mr. Waddell or some one would come out early in the morning to take away the rails. About 10 o'clock one heard a light car coming down the track, and he heard it stop. The men who were on it took the rails off the track and then went on. About 2 o'clock the next morning he went out and saw two rails still on the track. It was evident that other were placed there after the hand car passed by. The rails were left and when the morning mail train came back it stopped, and the engineer sent his mail out to remove the rails. Young Arlie Waddell was there with Mr. Cain the co-defendant, but neither had anything to say as to how the obstruction came there.

The manager of the road hearing of the obstruction, sent Marshal Swan out to investigate the matter. Suspicion pointed to young Waddell who afterwards admitted having placed the rails on the track, in company with another man.

Commissioner Woodward held young Waddell to answer in the sum of $500 bonds and dismissed the charge against Cain.

## BRIEF MENTION.

Call to-day McAllen & McDonnell.

If you want dry goods at Eastern prices, call at McAllen & McDonnell's, Third and Morrison.

I never got such a chicken in my life as I had this morning at the New York. This is a daily expression from the patrons of this famous cafe.

What might have saved Seattle? One of J. T. Wright's Hydraulic Fire Engines. They can be seen at the foot of Morrison street. Every family should have one.

If you want a perfect piano get the Weber kept only by Hoyt & Co., 107 First street. If you want a cheaper instrument see some of their other pianos before buying elsewhere.


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## U. S. SIGNAL SERVICE WEATHER REPORT.

PORTLAND OR., Aug 16, 1889.

| Place of Observation. | Height of Bar | Change in last 24 hours | Temp | Wind Direction | Wind Velocity | Rain fall in inches | State of Weather |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 29 85 | —10 | 76 | N | 6 | 00 | Cloudless |
| Olympia | 29 90 | —01 | 70 | W | 00 | 00 | Cloudy |
| Roseburg | 30 00 | —10 | 80 | NW | 00 | 00 | Cloudless |
| Red Bluff | 29 78 | —08 | 98 | SE | 00 | 00 | Cloudless |
| Sacramento | 29 85 | —02 | 90 | SW | 00 | 00 | Cloudless |
| Eureka | 30 06 | —02 | 60 | NW | 00 | 00 | Cloudless |
| Angeles | 29 98 | | 80 | W | 00 | 00 | Pt Cldy |
| Spokane | 29 90 | | 76 | W | 06 | 00 | Cloudy |
| Walla Walla | 29 90 | | 82 | W | 00 | 00 | Cloudless |
| Canby | 30 02 | | 68 | S | 00 | 00 | Cloudy |

Local Report.

| Pacific Coast Time | Bar | Tem | Rlh Hum | Direc of Wind | Vloc of Wind | Rain | Wthr |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5 A M | 30 03 | 56 | 82 | NW | 4 | 00 | Clds |
| 5 P M | 29 98 | 76 | 38 | N | 5 | 00 | Clds |

Maximum temperature, 78; minimum temperature, 52; height of river at 5 A. M., 15 feet; change in past 24 hours, —0.7 feet; maximum solar heat, 114 deg.

| | Normal. | Mean. | Departure from Normal. | Excess or deficiency since 1st of month. | Accumulated excess since Jan. 1, 1889. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Temperature | 67 | 65 | —2 | —1 | 681 |
| Precipitation | 02 | 00 | —02 | —05 | —14 91 |

Total precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 0; average precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 1 05; deficiency in precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 1 05.

## PASSENGER LIST.

OVERLAND.

Northern Pacific—Passed Eli st n August 16: H H Browning and wife, M E Hall, M Wood, H Hooper, Miss M Lafield, C S Mills and wife, Mrs P S Mills, George S Montgomery, John Slater, John Semple, Rev E A Prefontaine, Mrs E G Crabtree, Thomas H Cavanaugh, W B Dix, Nels Nelson and wife, E S Skagsberg, J Cameron and seventy eight Immigrants.

Passed Medford to arrive over the O. C.: T B Buck and wife, G F Buck, Mrs Hopper, Miss Hopper, Miss Foster, Mrs Orton, Miss Orton, F Andrews, R Goldson and wife, Mr Torrey, D W Cruger, Mr Goodell, Mr Friendly, Mr Leuinger, Mr Bowers, J Rowers, B Foster, Miss Foster, Mr Fisher and wife, Mrs. Baxter, C Duval and wife, Mrs Phelan, Mrs McCracken, E Chapman, T J Kingman, E Queen, D A Lowe, C Chelan, Mr Wells, Miss West, F Hayes, J Palmer, J B Breckenridge, Mr Cronan, R B Oper and wife, Mr Sparman, C Scapp and wife, Mrs Carter, F Cutler, N S Ross and fifty second class.

Oregon Short Line—Passed Eloshane 4 15 16: C S Chase, J W Cloud, A M Cloud, Mrs H Nelson, H S Cobb, W H. Hagarty, E Johnson, C S Smith, W S Reed, Mrs R M Wallace and son, J Brooks, J W Brown, R B Duncan, O D Reed, Sam, W H Love, S N Stevens and sixty six second class.

## BRIEF MENTION.

Call to-day McAllen & McDonnell.

If you want dry goods at Eastern prices, call at McAllen & McDonnell's, Third and Morrison.

I never got such a chicken in my life as I had this morning at the New York. This is a daily expression from the patrons of this famous cafe.

What might have saved Seattle? One of J. T. Wright's Hydraulic Fire Engines. They can be seen at the foot of Morrison street. Every family should have one.

If you want a perfect piano get the Weber kept only by Hoyt & Co., 107 First street. If you want a cheaper instrument see some of their other pianos before buying elsewhere.

## SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

### List of the Deeds Filed for Record in the Recorder's Office Yesterday.

Yesterday three deeds aggregating $39 0 an average of $13 16 were filed making the total number of deeds filed since the 1st of the month 16, value of the transactions $230 8-2. Since January 1 to date there have been filed 616 deeds aggregating $8,[illegible] 97.

DEEDS RECORDED AT 11 30.

A. Buckle to W. D. Barkey, blk 9, John Johnson Add, Aug. $800.

H. Schlaemecke to William Yost, lots blk 1, Ladd's Add to East Portland, Aug. 15, $85.

I. M. Lardlow to C. J. Mutz, lot 11 blk 1, Multnomah, July 9, $150.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY TRANSFERS AUG 16.

[Reported by J. F. Porter, Recorder Oregon City for Wilson title, Tillstrom estate office 9 Stark street.]

F. L. Jennings et ux to F. D. Caldwell, lots 1, 2 and 5 blk 1, $10.

M. A. Strutt et al to C. O. T. Williams, undivided ½ of 80 acres, 6 A. M. Klinkenberg D. L. C. $500.

Oliver C. Reed and wife to Peter Kramer, 10 square rods in SW¼ of [illegible] SHERIFF'S DEED.

O. C. Tirdall's sale to Nelson Rogers, 80 acres, 8 N. 4 E. Sec. 10, D. L. C. R. L. $40.

A. Cobb et al to Frank Cobb, undivided ½ of 600 acres in N. W. D. L. C. Lot 1, F. $4 00.

United States to Jasper Reid, NE¼ of SW¼ of sec. 7, T. 1 S. R. 4 E. patent.

Oregon Iron and Steel Company to Thomas Thompson, lots blk 0, Oregon Iron Add to Oswego, $ 0.

Total $10 90.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs Henry W. Corbett returned yesterday from Newport.

Tillicum Belcher has returned from his visit and on to Seattle, where he met friends.

Professor D. T. Stanley, president of the state normal school at Mount Hood, has just returned from a very pleasant trip to San Francisco.

Mr. W. M. Killingsworth and family returned from the ocean yesterday. Mr. Killingsworth reports a most enjoyable trip and also has words of praise for Stout's hotel.

Mr. W. H. Whitney, a prominent citizen of Lewiston, arrived in this city last evening. The object of his visit is simply to look over the country and he will remain about a week.

C. H. WILCOX

No. 150 First street has received *Young Ladies Journal* and *Art De La Mode* for September. New York *Weekly Family Story Paper Fireside Companion*.

## AUCTION SALE TO-DAY.

Retail grocery stock corner of Sixth and Ankeny streets at 10 o'clock A. M. A. H. Richards, auctioneer.

## Atlantic and Pacific Travel.

For rates and other reservations call at Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

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## BUSINESS ITEMS.

### Advice to Mothers.

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## A POET'S VIEW OF PORTLAND

### Joaquin Miller Tells About the City on the Willamette.

**Railroads and Natural Scenery—Continued Building—The New Hotel—Excellent Cooking—Moral Aspect of the City.**

New York Independent.

Building! building! building! The roar and the rattle of hammer and trowel here is like the roar and the rattle of the sea on a pebble-sown shingle.

And yet travelers whom I meet here in the hotel, returning from Tacoma and Seattle, tell me that it does not compare with the snap and crash and roar of progress in either of these new-born towns. But I shall not quite believe that till "I see with mine own eyes and hear with mine own ears."

I came down the great Willamette valley in a half day by rail from Eugene City, "the heart of Oregon," the place of my last letter. And I came down through one continuous and uninterrupted Eden. Three railroads run down this valley, which is more than 100 miles long and about fifty wide; and two railroads cross it, or are crossing it. There is a tremendous building impulse already here, both in city and country. Little towns blossom all along on either hand; and many a one of these sudden-born little towns is destined to serve merely as stations for accommodation trains for many years to come. Still, they all have fine stone houses, and from one to a dozen pretty church spires pointing heavenward through the "continuous woods."

The green woods! Oh, these glorious, restful green woods and green valleys and green hills after the glare of the fervid California sun! This is surely the most restful land the traveler ever saw. The eyes rest, the soul and body rest: for beauty and prosperity possess the land look where you may.

But this city of Portland, cut in two by the Willamette river and spanned by two iron bridges, is not very beautiful. Take out the roar and rush of it, and then quietly sit down and contemplate the dirty streets with their confusion of brick and mortar and lumber piles, and it would be ugly enough. However, as it is, the imagination leaps forward and lays lumber and brick and mortar in shapely line and order, and we see the city, not as it is, but as it is to be.

Oregon City, a dozen miles up the river at the great falls, is still on the map. You may remember it as the first city in all this vast West. It was the center of a great system of fur trade. And then it was the first capital of Oregon. It is still a sweet, pleasant place; but it is, after all, and after a half a century of hope and abundant promise, only a station on the railroads.

And this Oregon City will serve to illustrate what I continually try to point out as the ultimate result of all this tumultuous and tremendous building of new towns up and down the ends of the earth on this side of the Rocky mountains.

Salem, the capital of Oregon at present, is prosperous, very prosperous, and very, very pretty. One thing about these Oregon towns that makes them more than ordinarily beautiful is their abundant greens. You nearly always see two rows of trees on each street. Often some of the streets in the best ordered of these young towns have four rows of trees, as on the broad avenues of Washington city.

Another notable feature all up and down this continuous line of restful towns is the school-house and the church edifice. At some places you do notsee more than about six houses; but one at least, and the biggest and the best, is a school-house; and perhaps two of the remaining five buildings are churches. But you do not often find a town so small as that; unless it be only of this year's crop of newly planted towns.

Portland is built, or rather she is building on a series of shelves. Shelf rises above shelf till you get high up in the primal black fir forest.

On the eastern side of the deep, clear river, that slides between the two halves of the town under its iron bridges, these black and sullen forests climb and climb and climb till they touch the eternal snows of Mount Hood.

On the western side of the river—and here the city first stood entirely alone and quite forgetful of the eastern side for a quarter of a century—the streets climb and cross in wooded terrace till high in the air. Here under the maple trees is the fashionable afternoon drive. Wealth and fashion are here, the same as in Central park, New York. The equipages are quite as fine as those of New York. The horses are a good deal finer than are those of Hyde park, London. The ladies are better looking than are those of Paris, and to the inexperienced eye of an humble poet they are as entirely well dressed.

Statistics, at home, anywhere in this age of advertising, can show you numerous things in the story of this town's advancement, and I will not dwell on the number of banks and other substantial signs of solid advance. But the new hotel building deserves especial mention, for it is so new that its mention is not yet public.

This new hotel stands almost in the center of Portland as I knew her twenty years ago. You count about ten stories as you look up from the river. From the high marble-set shelves or streets above the hotel you count about five rows of windows or stories. The first few stories on the lower side are of solid stone, then the masonry is brick on the corners and stucco for the body. It looks light and airy with its many spires and turrets and pinnacles; but it is a larger and a loftier edifice than is that massive and tremendous pile of brick known as "The Great Northwestern Hotel." Indeed, I do not care to mention the cost of this hotel, as the figures furnished me tax my credulity; nor shall I find time to give further details here. I can say this much, however, I was astonished at the size and delighted with the shapely splendor of this edifice. For in this same city of Portland I have encountered in past years the vilest hotels and the worst cooking that ever drove a man to suicide. And as I did not hesitate to say as much at the time in this same *Independent*, it is but fair that I now not only mention this new hotel, to be completed in a few months, but also to mention that I now find the cooking in Portland quite on a par with that of San Francisco; and that is saying all that could well be said in favor of Portland in this direction. But how I did get pounded by the press here for telling the truth ten years ago!

And I might stop here and speculate as to how much of this reform is due to the man who accepts no favors and asks no mercy, but I will not. Enough to know that "Portland on the Willamette" has laid aside her swaddling clothes and stands up tall and fair in the array and in the race of comely cities.

I think the moral aspect of the city is only moderately good. This may come from the contact with the sea and the flow of bad characters to and from the rivers. At all events the more is not permitted to grow as the jail doors of Portland by a good deal as has been the case at Salem and other interior towns of peaceful and pastoral Oregon.

I find more Chinese here than in any other city I ever saw this side "the Flowery Kingdom." They are of course all at work. In every street and on every block you see them splitting wood as you pass up and down. The Chinese have almost an entire street here all their own, and it is in a very active and prosperous part of the city. These people receive more consideration here at the hands of the Christians than from the heathen from Ireland in San Francisco.

Yesterday I saw a singular spectacle; three Chinese preachers, in full Chinese dress, stood out in the middle of the street and preached and sang to their countrymen as they plied their various trades and cried their various wares to passing customers.

The Chinese preachers had Bibles and hymn books in their hands, translated into the Chinese tongue of course, and from these they read and sang. So far as I could find out they were itinerant Methodist preachers. I had no time to wait for the conclusion of the service, and to my regret when I got back the good men were gone. Inquiry could get no satisfactory answer as to what denomination they belonged to or who paid them for their work. The two Chinese brothers, who insisted on my tasting a cut of their roast pig, did not respond at all to my inquiry after the preachers, and so I have only the bare fact to set down, three Chinese Christians are singing hymns and preaching and reading the Bible in the busy city of Portland, Oregon.

**Electioneering in Mississippi.**

Jackson Mississippian.

Colonel Stone got off a pretty good thing on a delegate from one of the rural counties to the state convention, whom he met there for the first time. The colonel said: "I am glad to meet you. I have known your father for many years; but never had the pleasure of your acquaintance. I see that the son, however, is better looking than the father." "Look here, colonel," said the delegate, "you need not be flattering me up, for I am out and out for Barksdale for governor, although the old man is for you."

"Why, I simply find you better looking than your father, but I did not say you had half as much sense as he has," returned the colonel.

Those standing around roared with laughter, in which the delegate good-humoredly joined.

**IS THE REPUBLIC UNGRATEFUL.**

Albany Times.

Cassius M. Clay, the veteran abolition agitator of Kentucky, an agitator at a time when he had to carry a pistol with him to enforce his right to speak, has a complaint to make against the present administration, which is put in the vigorous language that Mr. Clay so well knows how to use. He says:

I made in my life eleven presidential campaigns, mostly at my own expense; saw six men of my choice in the presidential chair; but never asked an office for myself or for my blood, but for Green Clay (Brutus's son) as secretary of the legation, which was a matter of course, and never got one. This time I did ask, but got nothing but the promise of a $3-storekeeper at a still-house for my son. In the meantime Bismarck, my compeer, who did not equal my standing at St. Petersburg, is made a prince, with large hereditary estates, and his son is premier of Germany. But let no man say that republics are ungrateful. Yes, I am "old," but my country pays me a pension of $35 a year.

It is pitiable to find so old and able a man as Cassius Clay a suppliant before a republican administration for anything, but it is more pitiable to find that administration refusing him or even hesitating over the grant of almost anything he would deem it necessary to ask. Cassius Clay, before the secession era, and during it and through the war, was a grand specimen of manhood. He was so intense in his love of liberty that he freed the slaves that had descended to him by inheritance, and he engaged (right in the old Bourbon blue grass region of Kentucky) in a vigorous and sharply aggressive warfare against slavery. He was above-board about it all the time. He engaged in no midnight conferences, ran no underground railways. "If you are property," he said to a negro runaway once, "then you shouldn't steal yourself away from your owner. But there will come a day when the world will say that you are not property."

In Louisville, in the campaign of Lincoln in 1860, he made several speeches for the republican ticket. When he was first advertised to appear there was great excitement. Had he been an agitator from a Northern state he would not have been allowed to set foot inside the city. The sullen rain-drops preceding the storm were already falling desultorily. Secession, disunion, war, were already threatened. The scorn that waited upon abolition was intensified. Even Greeley and Wendell Phillips and Thurlow Weed were beginning to question the wisdom of their own course. But Clay never swerved. He announced the time and place of his speech "in the east room of the court-house" by placards on the streets. The newspapers refused to accept his advertisements. Some hoped that he would not be interfered with. Some discreetly intimated that it would not do to offer him violence much as they might say, "Don't nail his ears to the pump." Prentice of the Louisville *Journal* boldly said that "Cassius Clay is a Kentuckian. He is a Clay. He is a man of brains and blood. He has a right to speak and should speak." But even the *Journal* hoped that he would say nothing incendiary.

The hour came and Cassius M. Clay spoke to a tremendous audience, in the center of which he could descry the set and resolute visages only of enemies. He laid out his documents and manuscript on his left and a seven-shooter on his right. "A citizen of Kentucky," he began, "asks of his fellow the right of free speech. His fellow can not deny it, the free state of Kentucky and the free municipality of Louisville, surely will not deny it, and," here he leaned far over the rostrum, and crossing both hands on his revolver, added, "nobody else in this room had better try to deny it." There was a slight attempt to deny it, however, a gang having formed for that purpose. In a pause of Mr. Clay's argument which was directed to laboring men to show that slave labor competed against them, the ringleaders of this gang opened operations by the set question all pre-arranged, "Mr. Clay, what did you do with your niggers?" Mr. Clay responded with the utmost suavity, "I set them free, sir." "No, you didn't," responded the other, "you put them in your pocket." "You're a liar!" said Mr. Clay, "and you know it." This was not according to the programme, and the leader was unprepared. It was too sudden for him. It was the wrong cue. He looked disconcerted. Then a little thing happened, but a vital thing. The mob laughed. A mob that laughs at its leader has lost its usefulness. It has no further any sting. It is dangerous only to the leader. From the general laugh grew also that generous spirit which pervades even mobs. "Go on, Cash, go ahead!" and Mr. Clay finished his speech amid more applause than disapproval.

We regret very much that such a man wants anything from a republican administration and cannot get it.

**CURRENT REMARKS.**

A rather cynical toast run thus: "Woman—She requires no eulogy; she speaks for herself."

"The only way to prevint what's past," says Mrs. Muldoon, "is to put a stop to it before it happens."

Mrs. Snidkins says her husband is a three handed man, right hand, left hand, and a little behindhand.

Barber—"Clean shave, sir?" Customer—"Of course! You didn't suppose I wanted a dirty one, did you?"—*Boston Herald.*

The Fife played an important music at the wedding of the Prince of Wales's daughter. The principal tune was fortune.—*Norristown Herald.*

The proper name of the bumble-bee is humble-bee. But humble as he is he won't allow himself to be sat upon.—*Terre Haute Express.*

You can get into a woman's good graces easier by pleasing her baby than by flattering herself. Mother prize is stronger than female vanity.—*Chicago Mail.*

Committeeman—"Before engaging you for our pastorate we should like to know if you can preach without notes." Pastor—"No, sir. Bank notes are a necessity with me."—*Omaha World.*

"Why are you here?" "Burglary." "How long are you in for?" "Six years." "Now, honestly, if you had your life to live over would you not choose a better path?" "Wot'm. I'd be a murderer."—*Society.*

Mrs. Jason—"What a poor spirited creature you are, Jehel. I wish you would be either a man or a mouse." Mr. Jason—"I wish I was a mouse. I'd make you climb the cupboard in a holy minute."—*Exchange.*

A California paper stops to explain that a "gas" is not a "hoss," being merely one of the progressive stages in that direction. The difference between the two is estimated at about three ordinary city blocks.—*Washington Capital.*

Wife (to husband, as they are about to start on a summer excursion)—Why I have time to run across the street to my sister's to bid her good-by? Husband (consulting his watch)—I'm afraid not, dear. The carriage will be here for us in an hour and a half sharp.—*Boston Courier.*

An amusing story is told of a young preacher in Texas, who astonished his audience by announcing as his text the seventh verse of the third chapter of St. Charles. The slip of the tongue was understood soon after when he was married to a young lady in St. Charles, La.—*Louisville Western Recorder.*

"Young man," said the banker, "I've decided that it's about time for me to put a check to your aspirations toward the hand of my daughter." "O, thank you sir. But wouldn't it be better to wait till after we're married, then the check would come as a wedding present. It would save my feelings a great deal."—*Washington Capital.*

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## A MOCK TRIAL ON THE SEAS

### A Humorous Incident of the Trip on the Corona to Alaska.

**A Passenger Tells a Curious Tale and is Compelled to Stand Trial—Found Guilty and Receives Heavy Sentence.**

The steamer Corona returned to Tacoma Thursday evening, after her trip to Alaska, bringing a large number of delighted passengers, among whom were General Foster, ex-minister to Russia, and other distinguished persons. As is usual on such voyages, "fish stories" were abundant, which were received by the passengers with great relish, but one of them so far exceeded the others in extravagance that many of the other passengers, whether moved by jealousy because they had been beaten in this respect, by their fellows or not, is not quite clear, determined to bring the author of it to trial for having falsified the log of the ship, by causing, as was charged, to be entered thereon, that in the early morning, when most of the passengers were still in their berths, he had seen a whale 120 feet in length, and spouting 200 feet in hight. A court was duly organized by the selection of Calvin Frost, of New York, as judge, Frank D. Harmon, a lawyer of New York as clerk. Ex-Attorney-General Williams, of Kansas, was selected as prosecutor, and General Wager Swayne, of New York, was selected by the accused as his counsel.

The following is a copy of the indictment, subject to postponement if it looks like a shower:

ON BOARD ALASKA EXCURSION STEAMER CORONA, Dominion of Canada on the High Seas (But not so high as they will be to-morrow in Queen Charlotte sound).

**Orphans' Court, No. 1.**

Aug. 10, 1889, at 8 bells; second dog watch; by the cat. The court will convene for the purpose of trying

COLONEL HORBY HANDED STANTON

For the crime of falsifying the log of the steamship Corona, to wit:

That he sighted a whale which was 120 feet long, and that it spouted 200 feet high—North latitude.

By order of Hon. J. FROST.

Prosecuting Attorney, GEN. GUS WILLIAMS.
Counsel for the Defence, GEN. BOAT SWAIN.
Countersigned, JAMES CARROLL, Bishop.
Attest, S. L. Y. HEEBNER, Constable.

Defendant pleaded "not guilty." A jury of seven ladies was empaneled to try the case. The witnesses were numerously sworn by Clerk Harmon to tell anything but the truth and they proceeded in large numbers to do so. Their testimony was indicrous and contradictory, being examined and cross-examined with great ability, and at its close the counsel proceeded to sum up their speeches, abounding with brilliant wit and fine apt classical quotations, which were received with rapturous applause by the passengers, all of whom, without an exception, were assembled in the large dining cabin to hear the trial, as well as the captain and the ship's officers generally.

The judge then proceeded to charge the jury. He told them that it was the first time within his experience or knowledge that a jury of women had been empaneled to try a case in a court of justice, and that the high responsibility of demonstrating that their sex was qualified to discharge such an important duty rested on them; that the great objection to women as jurors was the fear that they would be influenced by their partiality to the counsel or parties on account of their good looks, and that they (the jurors) must therefore close their eyes to the personal attractions of counsel and prisoner, (the best made, although not an Adonis might well be mistaken for one), that justice was as always represented, in paintings and statuary, as blind. The jury was also told that as the tribunal was a novel one, the common law rule of requiring unanimity of the jurors to make a verdict would be dispensed with, and that a majority would be sufficient for the purpose. The jury was also told that the offense of falsifying the ship's log was a good one, involving the most serious consequences, and that they must therefore act with great caution, but decide without regard to the punishment, which might be indicted. It is needless to say that the jurors listened to the evidence and charge with serious attention and without violation of the rules governing trials in courts of justice, except that during the giving of the evidence they commenced to talk with each other, which the judge promptly checked, telling them that an exchange of opinions among themselves was not proper until all of the testimony had been given and the counsel and court had been heard. This rebuke was received good naturedly, although with evident distaste at being deprived of the luxury of discussing the case as it proceeded.

When the case had been given to the jury a verdict was soon rendered, finding the prisoner guilty, the vote being five for conviction and two for acquittal, the last two having evidently disobeyed the charge of the court and looked upon the prisoner during the trial.

Upon the rendition of the verdict and its reading by Clerk Harmon, which was done in his most effective style, there were rounds of applause. General Simpson, not quite satisfied with the verdict, asked that the jury be called upon to answer each separately as to whether that was her verdict, which was done by the clerk, and each answered as before.

The prisoner was then called upon to stand up for sentence, which he did, and the judge passed it, that he drink no more spirituous liquor before 6 o'clock in the morning, during the trip, under penalty of being thrown overboard for a violation. As the prisoner had drank no liquor during the voyage, the sentence was universally opposed by the audience, and thus ended one of the most remarkable trials on record.

**MOUNTAIN DENUDATION.**

**The Rivers and Lakes of Southern California Becoming Extinct as a Result.**

Virginia City Chronicle.

The people of Southern California have become aroused to a realizing sense of the (to them) disastrous effects of denuding the sierras of timber. The leading ranchmen, farmers and fruit growers are preparing an immense memorial or petition to congress asking that the timber claim system be abolished. Kings' river ten years ago was a very important river, and Tulare lake was a very extensive body of water. To-day the river is perfectly dry just below the mouth of the Fresno irrigation system, away up in the mountains, and Tulare lake has receded at least ten miles since 1879. There is less than three feet of water in the deepest part of the lake to-day.

Lake Elsinore, in San Diego county, was formerly the outlet and terminus of the San Jacinto river, but since the timber has been nearly all taken from the grand old San Jacinto mountain, the stream has become a thing of the past. There is no greater mistake in the world than allowing the timber to be cut from the mountains. Orchardists living in the region west of Tulare say that after July of each year there is no water whatever for irrigating purposes.

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DAVID RAY,
J. F. BAKER,
Committee.

La Grande Or., Aug 12, 1889.

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All the right, title and interest of said Ben Holladay in Lots 1 and 2, in block 49, in Holladay's Addition, corner Third and Mark streets, as platted and known as Ben Holladay's addition to the city of Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon.

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## COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY, August 16.

FINANCIAL—Clearances to-day, $246,179 75; balances, $40,768 52.

Merchandise received or soon to arrive by rail: 1 car sinware, 1 car sheet iron, 1 car woodenware, 1 car sinware, 1 car agricultural implements, 1 car iron roofing, 1 car agricultural implements, 218 bdls hoop iron, 237 spools barbed wire, 68 pkgs hardware, 2 lots nails, 1 car furniture, 83 cs dry goods, 41 cs clothing, 242 cs boots and shoes, 1545 cs refined oil, 1 car whisky.

WHEAT—The market shows no change as yet. We quote nominal figures for valley wheat $1 20@1 22½; Eastern Oregon and Washington, $1 12½@1 15. The following are the fluctuations of the New York and Chicago markets:

NEW YORK.

| | Closed. 15th | Opened. 16th | Noon. 16th | Closed 16th |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| August | 85¾ | 85¾ | 85¾ | 86¼ |
| September | 84½ | 84½ | 84¾ | 85 |
| October | 84⅞ | 84½ | 85 | 85¾ |
| November | 86 | | | 86¾ |
| December | 87½ | 87½ | 87¾ | 87½ |

CHICAGO.

| | Closed. 15th | Opened. 16th | Noon. 16th | Closed 16th |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| August | 77¾ | 77¾ | 78 | 77¾ |
| September | 76½ | 76½ | 77¾ | 78¼ |
| December | 78⅛ | 77⅞ | 78¼ | 78½ |
| May | 82¾ | 82¾ | 83¼ | 83⅝ |

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past 24 hours include: 320 bbls flour, 222 ctls oats, 105 lbs wool, 3306 lbs hides, 27 pkgs butter, 161 bxs eggs, 1 car and 2145 lbs fruit and 21 cattle.

EGGS—The market is the same; demand good. We quote 22½c.

### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The stock market was a little more active to-day, especially in the first and last hours, but between those hours the dullness was equal to anything seen of late. The improvement began by Atchison taking the lead and rising 1 per cent., followed by C., C., C. and St. Louis and Rock Island. While the upward movement spread to the entire list ½ per cent. was the limit of the gains made. The market then became dull, and so continued until the last hour, when Wabash preferred led the upward movement, and more animation was shown all over the list. The market finally closed dull, but firm to strong, and at the best period of the day. Government bonds have been dull and steady.

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Money on call, easy at 8@4. Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5½. Sterling exchange, dull, steady; 60-day bills, $4 84¾. Demand, $4 87¼.

BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| U. S. 4s (registered) | 128 |
| U. S. 4s (coupon) | 128 |
| Pacific 6s | 118 |
| U. S. 4½s (registered) | 108¾ |
| U. S. 4½s (coupon) | 109⅛ |

STOCKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| American Ex. | 116 | Preferred | 142 |
| Canadian Pacific | 61¾ | New York Central | 108¾ |
| Canada Southern | 58 | Oregon Imp | 64 |
| Central Pacific | 32½ | Navigation | 98 |
| Burlington | 104½ | Transcontinental | 34¼ |
| Del. & Lackawanna | 144½ | Pacific Mail | 35 |
| Rio Grande | 17½ | Reading | 44⅞ |
| Erie | 28½ | Rock Island | 99½ |
| Kansas & Texas | 19¼ | St. Paul | 79½ |
| Lake Shore | 104¼ | Texas Pacific | 21⅝ |
| Lyvile & Nashville | 70½ | Union Pacific | 62⅞ |
| Michigan Central | 88½ | U. S. Express | 89½ |
| Missouri Pacific | 77¼ | Fargo Express | 138 |
| Northern Pacific | 29½ | Western Union | 85⅛ |
| N. P. Preferred | 67¼ | Am. Cott'n Seed Oil | 43⅝ |
| Northwestern | 111 | | |

MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Consols, 98 1-16. Silver bullion per fine ounce, 42 5-16. Bank of England rate of discount, 3 per cent.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Sterling exchange long, 4 85¼; sterling exchange, short, $4 88; U. S. bonds, 4s, 128; U. S. bonds, 4½s, 105¾; silver bullion per fine ounce, 92¾.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Sterling exchange, sixty days, $4 84; sterling exchange, documentary, $4 83½. Transfers, 10 premium.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ophir | 3 4 75 | Bullion | 65 |
| Mexican | 3 90 | Seg. Belcher | 1 90 |
| Gould & Curry | 2 60 | Justice | 1 60 |
| Best & Belcher | 3 50 | Union | 3 05 |
| Con. California | 7 50 | Challenge | 1 30 |
| Savage | 1 45 | N. B. Isle | 90 |
| Chollar | 1 90 | Nevada Queen | 90 |
| Potosi | 1 60 | Bodie | 90 |
| Hale & Norcross | 2 95 | Peer | 15 |
| Crown Point | 2 80 | Peerless | 30 |
| Yellow Jacket | 2 90 | Overman | 80 |
| Belcher | 2 75 | Alpha | 1 25 |
| Sierra Nevada | 2 60 | Imperial | 50 |
| Utah | 1 05 | Grand Prize | 40 |

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Produce receipts past 24 hours included: Wheat, 19,000 ctls; flour, 5000 qr sks; oats, 1000 ctls; potatoes, 3000 sks; barley, 19,500 ctls.

Freights—The freight market continues very quiet, with no new business to report.

Wheat—The spot market has assumed a firmer feeling, owing to an improved export and speculative demand. No. 1 shipping $1 20½@1 25. Trading in options, slow, but prices rather better. Transactions were: 200 tons of No. 1 white, buyer year, at $1 21; 100 tons at $1 40½; buyer season, $1 40¾. Afternoon session: Buyer year opened and closed at $1 40½; buyer season, $1 40¾; seller year, new, $1 31¾.

Barley—Liberal receipts and a poor demand cause the market to exhibit a dull and weak tone. Nominal quotations are 70c for choice feed, and 67½c for 2d. No. 1 options are very dull; buyer season, 86c. Afternoon session: Buyer year, 84½c.

Oats—The market rules quiet. Offerings are liberal, but buyers hold off, and trading continues slow. Choice feed, $1 17½; No. 1, $1 15; inferior grades, $1 05@1 10.

Millstuffs—The movement is quiet but prices keep steady. Bran of all kinds quoted from $14@15 50 per ton; middlings, $14 50@15.

Potatoes—The situation shows little change from late reports. Receipts are of moderate proportions, and a fair demand keeps prices from weakening.

Hops—Market quiet. No change to be noted, either in demand or values.

Wool—Trading slow; prices unchanged.

Hops—Inactive.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Receipts of wheat at the seven primary points east of the Rocky mountains during the past 24 hours were 481,000 bushels, and the shipments from these points during the same time were 471,000 bushels.

Wheat—The market opened off, but soon gained strength, and advanced steadily until the close. Prices throughout the day ranged as follows: Opening, 77½c August, 76¼c September, 77½c December, 81½c May. Noon—78c August, 77¾c September, 78½c December, 82¾c May. Closed—78c August, 77½c September, 76½c December, 82½c May.

Provisions—Pork, $9 72½ September; lard, $6 37½ September; ribs, $6 17½ September.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Cattle—Receipts 12,000; strong for fancy; others lower; beeves, $4 60@5; steers, $3 20@4 40; stockers and feeders, $2@3 10; Texas cattle, $1 75@3 10; natives and half-breeds, $3 25@3 80.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; strong and 5 cents higher; mixed, $4@4 35; heavy, $3 80@4 05; light, $4 30@4 70.

Sheep—Receipts, 4000; strong; natives, $3 60@4 90; Westerns, $3 90@4 05; Texans, $3 70@4 10.

WOOL MARKETS.

BOSTON, Aug. 16.—Wool—There has been a moderate trade in all kinds of wool. The sales of the week were only 1,429,000 pounds. The market was unsettled and prices were easier. Territory wools are in fair demand, with sales of choice Montana at 24@25c, and Utah and Wyoming at 19@23c, as to quality. California, Oregon and Texas wools are quiet. Pulled wools are in fair demand at 25@28c for extra, and 23@29c for super.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Grain freights by steam to Liverpool from this port, rule firm at 4½d per bushel.

Wheat—The market opened generally a shade lower, but before noon prices began to advance, and closed firm. Fluctuations during the day were as follows: Opening 85½c August, 84¾c September, 84¾c October, 87¾ December. Noon—85½c August, 84¾c September, 84c October, 87¾c December. Closed—86¼c August, 85c September, 85½c October, 86¾c November, 87½c December.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Coffee—Options opened steady, unchanged to 5 points down, and closed steat at 15@20 points down; sales, 23,000 bags; September, $15 25@15 45; October, $15 25@15 30; November, $15 30@15 40; December, $15 35@15 50; January, $15 35@15 50; spot Rio, a shade easier, quiet; fair cargoes, 18¾c.

Sugar—Raw, steady, good demand; sales, 46,000 bags; centrifugals, 96 test 7c.

Wool—Quiet, about steady; domestic fleeces, 24@36c.

Copper—Strong, but dull; lake, $12.

Lead—Firmer, but quiet; domestic, $3 92½.

Tin—Brisker, and steady at the decline; Straits $20.

Petroleum—Opened steady at 96½c, and closed strong at 96½c.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

BEERBOHM'S GRAIN REPORT.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—The weather throughout England, fine.

Wheat cargoes on sale off coast, nothing offering. Cargoes on passage, wheat and maize, quiet but steady.

California cargoes, off coast, 36s 6d; just shipped or promptly to be shipped, 36s.

Mark Lane—English and foreign wheat firm; English and American flour firm.

English country markets are steady.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 16.—Spot wheat slow; No. 1 California, 7s 10½d; No. 2 California, 6s 10½d.

American extra state flour, 24s.

Futures—Generally firmer; No. 1 California, 7s 10½d August, 7s 2d September, October, November and December, 7s 2½d January.

5:30 P. M.—Spot wheat a turn dearer; No. 1 California, 7s 2d, No. 2 California, 6s 11d.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 16.—Wheat—Dull, holders offer moderately; California No. 1, 7s 3½@3s 2d per cental; red Western winter, 7s 10@7s 10½d.

Corn—Quiet, steady.

### SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The British bark James Ferguson is still lying at Montgomery dock, Albina.

Steamsman T. J. Potter, R. R. Thompson, S. G. Reed and Ludine all came up yesterday from Astoria, with passengers and a cargo of general merchandise.

The British ship Lord Canning is lying at Irving dock, Albina.

The British ship Scottish Glens is still lying at Victoria dock, Albina.

The British ship Nagpore is lying at Mersey dock.

The American ship Tillie E. Starbuck is lying at the S. P. railroad dock, East Portland.

The steam ferryboat Veto No. 2 is lying on the river bank, opposite the foot of A street.

The British bark British Army is lying at Astoria.

The American bark Coloma is still lying at the foot of Pine street.

The steamer Salem is still lying idle at the foot of Washington street.

The steamers Wasco and City of Salem are still lying at the foot of Columbia street.

The British ship Moel Tryvon, 1689 tons, from San Diego is added to the to arrive list, and is due in August or September.

The British bark Lady Elizabeth, 1155 tons, is added to the to arrive list, and is due in August or September.

The steamer Alliance is lying at the foot of D street.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Arrived—Br ship Cape Breton, Newcastle, A.; schr Chetco, Coquille river; str Willamette Valley, Yaquina bay. Sailed—Str Wellington, Departure bay; str Ajax, Coos Bay; str Australia, Honolulu.

PORT DISCOVERY, Aug. 16.—Sailed—Bk Harvester, Melbourne; schr Gen. C. Perkins, San Francisco.

ASTORIA, Aug. 16.—Str State of California arrived in 9:15 A. M., left for Portland at noon; str Laguna, from San Francisco, arrived in 11 A. M., left up 1:35 P. M.; schr Mary Dodge passed out 10:30 A. M.; str Oregon arrived down 10:30 A. M., passed out 3:40 P. M.; Br ship Cambrian Queen crossed in at 3:45 P. M.

PORT CANBY, Aug. 16.—5 P. M.—Weather cloudy; wind south; bar smooth.

Vessels on the Way to the Columbia River.

DUE JULY—AUGUST.

Aug. 2—Br bk Tythonus, 1152, San Pedro.
May 21—Br sh Cambrian Queen, 1300, Newcastle, A.
July 1—Br bk Star of Denmark, 998, Coquimbo.

DUE AUGUST—SEPTEMBER.

Br sh Moel Tryvon, 1639, San Diego.
April 16—Br sh Griesdale, 1222, London.
July 6—Br bk Kooringa, 1179, Australia.
Br sh Selene, 916, Santa Rosalia.
Br sh Milton Park, 1461, Panama.
Br bk Oaklands, 955, New Zealand.
Br bk Port Adelaide, 1301, Algoa bay.
Br bk Glenlifer, 805, Sydney.
Aug. 8—Br bk Lady Elizabeth, 1155, San Diego.

DUE LATER ON.

May 15—Br sh Esmeralda, 1249, Liverpool.
July 5—Am sh Alameda, 1473, New York.
15—Br bk Lorton, 1300, London.
15—Am sh Challenger, 1399, New York.
Br sh Ben Voirlich, 1474, Guayaquil.
Br sh Crown of England, 1709, Port Pirie.
Br sh Metropolis, 1792, Montevideo.
Br sh Kiverside, 1623, Rio Janeiro.
Br sh Clan Mackenzie, 1697, Rio Janeiro.
Br sh MacMillan, 1450, Santa Rosalia.
Br sh Andreas, 1708, Australia.
Br sh Orpheus, 1462, Buenos Ayres.
Br ship Patterdale, 1207, Antwerp.
Br bk Charles Cotesworth, 1051, Liverpool.
Br sh Inchcape Rock, 1493, Rio Janeiro.
Br sh Gen. Gordon, 1515, Melbourne, A.
Br sh Oberon, 1194, Ensenada.
Br sh Clan MacPherson, 1601, Montevideo.

N. B.—Numbers show registered tonnage.
Total tonnage on the way 40,649.

Arrivals and Departures Since August 10.

ARRIVED IN.

Aug. 10—Schr Fred E. Sanders, San Francisco.
11—Schr Zampa, San Francisco.
12—Str Dolphin, Shoalwater bay.
12—Str Oregon, San Francisco.
13—Str Alliance, Gray's harbor.
15—Br bk British Army, Liverpool.
15—Sch Argonaut, San Francisco.
16—Str State of California, San Francisco.
16—Str Laguna, San Francisco.

PASSED OUT.

Aug. 10—Str Idaho, Puget sound.
11—Br sh Westland, Liverpool.
12—Str Alliance, Gray's harbor.
12—Str Columbia, San Francisco.
12—Schr Jos. Russ, San Francisco.
12—Str Multnomah, Port Townsend.
12—Schr W. F. Jewett, San Francisco.
13—Schr Letitia, San Francisco.
15—Gen. Miles, Gray's harbor.
15—Str Oregon, San Francisco.
16—Schr Mary Dodge, San Francisco.

### AT HOME AGAIN.

President Harrison Arrives in New York and Leaves for Washington.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—President Harrison arrived here this morning on a steamer from Fall River. A large crowd had assembled on the dock. The president at once proceeded to Jersey City to take the train for Washington.

He left on the 8:15 limited for Washington, and will go through without a stop.

ARRIVED AT WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—The president arrived here at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

### THE CRUISER BOSTON.

Report of the Special Board on Her Injuries in the Late Accident.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The special board to inquire into the cause of the accident to the cruiser Boston has concluded its work. There are three large holes in the heavy outer plates of the hull and a long indentation under the boiler. The ribs of the vessel are bent inward where she struck, and will have to be repaired. It will require six weeks to repair the damage.

### FOURTEEN YEARS AT HARD LABOR.

The Heavy Sentence of a Dishonest Railroad President.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Eben S. Allen, the defaulting ex-president of the Forty-second & Grand Street Ferry Railroad Company, who pleaded guilty to the over issue of over $100,000 worth of the stock of the company, was sentenced to-day to fourteen years' imprisonment at hard labor.

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### A Valuable Horse Dead.

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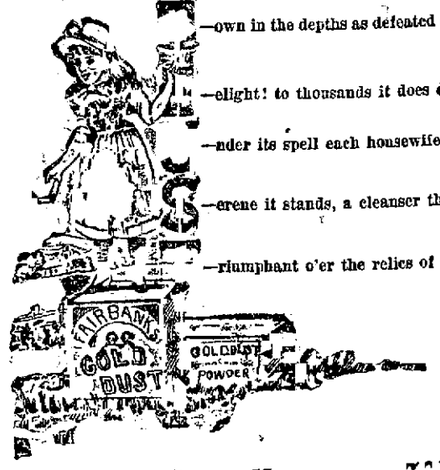


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# MANY HORSES IN THE RACE.

## Sixteen Runners Have Been Entered in the Great Suburban Handicap.

### Palatine, Little Joe, Contractor and Edward C. in the 2:22 Class—The Fall Meeting Promises To Be a Successful One.

From present indications, the forthcoming fall meeting of the Portland Speed Association will be the biggest meeting ever held in the Northwest. Horses and horsemen will be present from Oregon, Washington, California, Idaho, Utah and Montana. Horses that have made good records on the Coast have been entered in the races.

Of course, the great event of the meeting will be the Portland Suburban handicap, which will be run on September 12. To date there have been sixteen entries for this great event and a number of horses are expected to come in before the entries close. The entries so far have been

J. H. McDonough, of The Dalles, ns s stal Shyster by Winters, dam unknown.

H Henry, of Chico, Cal., ns b. g Menlo by Imperial Young Prince, dam Hallie Hawthorne, blue.

Andy Davis, of Butte, ns b stal Jack Brady by Wild Idle, dam Sour Grapes blue.

R. E. Bybee, of Portland, ns ch c. Broadchurch by Leinster, dam Tibbie Dunbar orange and blue

R. E. Bybee ns ch h. Oregon, by Monday dam Pianella by Planet, orange and blue

Umatilla Stable ns ch. c. Fandango, by Billy Lee, dam unknown.

W L. Whitmore ns sor f Laura D., by Glen Dud ley, dam Laura C red and gold.

W L. Whitmore ns gr Colonus by Joe Hooker, dam Callie Smart, red and gold

Umatilla stable ns Rosa Lewis by Flood, dam Fanny Lewis

Umatilla Stable ns Moses B., by Leinster, dam Rose Jane.

Umatilla stable ns Tom Daly by Patsy Duffy, dam Sunshine.

Haslett & Davis, of San Francisco, ns ch m Laura Gardner, by Jim Brown, dam Avail purple and gold.

Haslett & Davis ns ch m Ass, by Longfield, dam Asaria, purple and gold

Matlock Bros of Pendleton ns b. m. Rapetta by Alex. dam Long Nine black and gold

Matlock Bros. ns ch. f Oregon Rose, by Tiptop dam Grapeshot, black and gold

Matlock Bros ns b. st. Leon, by Leinster dam Ada A.

PLENTY OF GOOD TROTTERS.

The entries for the trotting and pacing races closed on August 10, and appended is a list of them This does not include all of the horses named. The association has withheld the names of some where owners have made errors in not stating the class in which they desire to enter their steeds

September 10—2 30 class, 3 in 5, mile heats, to harness. Purse $600 $420 to first horse, $120 to second and $60 to third

Alexander Lewis ns b m Alta by Altamont, dam unknown

A. C Bray, of Portland, ns br m Lady Maud by Rockwood, dam Lady Clark, by Kisber colors blue

Smith & Sawyer, of Hillsboro, ns b stl Price mont, by Altamont, dam Belle Price by Doble Torrs cotta.

T. H Tongue, of Hillsboro ns br m Kitty Ham, by Hambletonian Mambrino, dam Kitty Lewis orange and blue.

Jay Beach, of Portland ns b g Siphon, by Altamont, dam Lucy Thomas, by Mike black and white.

L. Swan, of Yreka, Cal ns blk. m Altena, by Altamont, dam Sleepy Kate, by Mike black, blue and gray.

Hugh Kirkendal, of Helena, Mont ns br g S. S. by Kentucky Volunteer, dam Matilda by Springfield Chief old gold.

J. Swanson, of Portland, ns c. m, Susie S., by Hambletonian Mambrino, dam Bellfounder Girl.

J. F. McNaught, of Deer Lodge, M. T., ns Sister V

C. E. Forshee, of Salt Lake, ns b. g James F, by Reporter, dam unknown.

SOME GOOD RACERS HERE.

September 11—2 22 class, mile heats best three in five, to harness. Purse $700 of which $490 goes to the first horse, $140 to the second and $70 to the third

Alexander Lewis, of Portland ns sp. m., Palatina, by Milton Medium dam Snowstorm

A. C Bray, of Portland ns br g., Little Joe, by Bob Hunter dam by Fitzsimmons a St Lawrence blue

Hugh Kirkendall, of Helena M T ns br h Contractor, by Sultan, dam Mad Harding by Overland.

Lute Lindsey ns Edward C

September 12—2 25 class 3 in 5 mile heats to harness. Purse $400 of which $280 goes to the first horse, $80 to the second and $40 to the third.

H. Smith ns stal., Byron Smith, by Reporter, dam Jessie blue

Wm Galloway, of McMinnville ns b m Lady Beach, by Altamont, dam Hollywood, by Ham mana.

Dr Joseph Weyenhorst of Butte M T ns br stal Gloster, by Tempest, dam Altamont by Com Bellmont, terra cotta

J Austin, of Portland, ns ch st Autocrat Tom by Autocrat, dam Peggy

Jay Beach, of Portland, ns b m Coquette, by Altamont, dam Tecora, by Cassius Clay black and white.

H E Kirkendal, of Helena, Mont ns s/ m Lady Maxim, by Maxim, dam Lady Greaves, by Smuggler

George H Thompson of The Dalles ns b stl Rockwood, jr by Rockwood, dam by Vermont white

J F. McNaught, of Deer Lodge, ns Sister V

September 13.—Three year olds, three in five, mile heats, to harness. Purse $300 of which $210 goes to the first horse $60 to the second and $30 to the third

A. Somers, of La Grande, ns s g Lemout, sr by Lemont dam Mollie, by Bushaw black

M L. Whitmore, of Walla Walla ns b f. Lady Mac, by Lemont, dam Coolie1.

Jay Beach, ns b. f. Beulah, by Altamont, dam Tecora by McClay jr black and white

George H Thompson, ns g f Anita, by Rockwood, jr, dam by Vermont wine colors

F. J. Mann, ns b. c. Altso, by Altamount, dam Sallie M., by Pathfinder black and red.

Mrs. Sophie Reeves, ns b. f Nervisan, by Altamont, dam Snowflake drab

Van B DeLashmutt, ns. Blondie

THE 2 27 CLASS

Same day—2 27 class, 3 in 5 mile heats, to harness Purse $600 of which $420 goes to the first horse $120 to the second $60 to the third

Alex Lewis, ns. b. m Alta, Altamont by Almont, dam unknown.

W A. McIvers, of Spokane Falls, ns r g Bishop Hero, by Bishop, dam Lida Kendall by Hero black and plum

J S. Butler of Butte ns. b g, Colonel Bradshaw, by Messenger Chief, dam Jewell, wine colors

Dr Joseph Weyenhorst, of Butte, ns. br stal Gloster, Tempest by Almont, dam by Com Bell mont, terra cotta.

T H Tongue ns br m Kitty Ham by Hambletonian Mambrino, dam Kitty Lewis orange and blue

Jay Beach ns b. g. Siphon by Altamont dam Lucy Thomas by Mike black and white band.

E La Forest, of Albany ns ch s Dick Flaherty by Fearnaught, jr, dam Belle Drew

J. F. McNaught ns Sister V

September 14.—Free for all, trotting and pacing 3 in 5, mile heats, to harness Purse $1,000 of which $540 goes to the first horse, $.40 to the second, $200 to the third

A. C. Bray, ns b g Raven Boy by Pocahontas Boy, dam unknown, blue.

Alexander Lewis, ns sp m Palatina, by Milton Medium, dam Snowstorm.

J M Burke, of Spokane Falls, ns h stal Clasaws by Alwood, dam Zoe by Bellfounder black and plum.

W C Humbert, of Deer Lodge ns Independent Frank

## CAUGHT IN THE LEGAL TOILS

### Held in $500 Bonds—The Case Was Dismissed—Several Warrants Issued

Mention was made in yesterday's paper of the arrest of H. M Russ, the dentist, on a charge of opening a sealed letter not his own but directed to Dr. J. H Hall The missive was written to Mrs H. M. Proice, and was unstamped. It had been left in Dr Hall's office by a messenger and Dr Russ entering the room saw it and opened it he claims in the belief that it was his. Dr Hall who is a physician, thought the dentist had a motive in so doing, and made the complaint The justice concluded his part of the medley by casting Dr Russ to furnish $500 bonds to appear before the grand jury.

DEFENDANT DISCHARGED

The case of F M Brown who was charged with stealing a horse from a Mr Hagenberger near Milwaukie, and selling the same to T McFriese, of this city, was dismissed as there was no thing to show that Brown ever stole a horse and the horse he sold was his own

WARRANTS ISSUED

Warrants have been issued from Phelan s court for the arrest of three Chinamen named Pon Slug, Ah Goon and Ah Louie charging them with having opium in their possession without having a license to do so The Chinamen disclaim having violated any law either state or municipal

A warrant has also been issued for D M Fields charging him with committing larceny by bailee. It is claimed by A G Corbett, the complaining witness, that about September 1, 1886, Fields stole a saddle, blanket, bridle, and other articles to the total value of $70, and that he had no right whatever to the same, but was simply holding them for the plaintiff When the latter called for them they were not furnished him

A warrant has been issued from Justice Tuttle's court for one Ah Ko, a Celestial 116 is charged with cruelty to an animal—a cow—by cutting the heartstrings, and thus crippling the poor creature for life. The cow is the property of Al Hunter

## SHE LOST HER PURSE.

### It Contained $100 in Bills—Probably It Was Stolen by Nimble Fingered Thieves.

Mrs. C. M. Loring, a passenger on the Short Line train which arrived in this city last evening, lost a purse while passing Seuffert's Fishery It contained $100 in bills, besides papers of no value to any one but their owner She thinks the purse was stolen by some nimble fingered pickpocket.

Mrs. Loring, who is from St. Louis, is accompanied by her married daughter and grand daughter, and the loss of her purse would have greatly inconvenienced them, had not the kind-hearted passengers taken up a collection of about $30 to help them along.

Upon arriving in this city Mrs. Loring repaired to the Merchant's hotel, where she will stay while in this city. Persons on the train suspected two young men of the robbery, and so informed Officer James Barry The latter immediately made a thorough investigation of the case, and came to the conclusion that the suspected parties were entirely innocent, and allowed them to depart on the train for the Sound, whither they were bound. Mrs Loring carried her purse in an out side pocket of her cloak, which was very care ess of her

## S. M'LEAN BENT ON SUICIDE.

### He Makes His Second Attempt Last Night, but Is Balked.

A Large Dose of Chloral Hydrate Taken, but Two Able Physicians Relieve His Stomach of It

Samuel McLean courts death He has made two attempts at suicide but each time has been balked by physicians with their ever ready stomach pumps He has each time spent 50 cents for chloral hydrate but the money has been wasted as many times, as the drug was pumped out of him and thrown away by extravagant physicians. The would be suicide now lies on the stone floor of a cell in the city prison sleeping off the effects of his last dose taken with a view of producing everlasting sleep

At 2 15 o clock last night Officer Richard Collins while passing the International hotel, noticed a man all doubled up in one of the many chairs on the sidewalk. Supposing him to be intoxicated he endeavored to arouse him but to no avail He noticed that the man s breathing was very labored and came to the conclusion that he had taken poison He procured a cart and loading the man into it hauled him to the police station

On arriving at the city prison Drs Saylor and Panton were summoned and on their arrival found the man to be suffering from a heavy dose of chloral hydrate and the next thing to dead They immediately brought their stomach pumps into requisition and very soon had his stomach drained they rinsed it out and then gave the patient a strong hypodermic injection of strychnine to counteract the effects of the chloral The physicians labored with the man for about two hours during which time his life hung on a thread, but shortly after 4 o'clock the crisis was reached, and the would be suicide, until then unknown, showed signs of life

A down town saloonkeeper who dropped into the jail recognized the unconscious man as a Danish cook named Samuel McLean John Russell, another saloonkeeper who formerly kept a saloon in the lower end of the city was telephoned for and he too recognized and told the officers where the man had boarded As an officer was sent to the place and returned a few minutes later with Mrs D M Tibbits After looking at the man she said to an OREGONIAN reporter

"Yes that is Sam McLean He boards with me, but did not come to my house this evening for dinner This is not his first attempt at suicide About a month since he took chloral and Dr Rand had to work with him all night to bring him to He would give no excuse for attempting to take his own life, but he frequently has the 'blues'

Do you know any reason why he should make a second attempt on his own life" was asked

I think I can partly account for it, Mrs Tibbits replied About a week ago he received a letter from his father in Denmark, who is 70 years of age, which informed him that his father had failed in business and had lost nearly all he had. Ever since the receipt of this letter he has been very gloomy, and it may have caused him to attempt to take his life He has no relatives in this country He is a cook, and the last work he did was on the steamer Dolphin

On being searched no money was found on McLean s person This fact also probably had something to do with his attempted suicide. At 8 o'clock this morning he was sleeping soundly and bids fair to recover A box containing considerable charcoal was found in one of McLean s pockets, but the druggist who sold the drug, knowing that he was violating the law put no label on it but simply told him what it was If the police find out who he is it will go hard with him, as he will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law

## J B. MONTGOMERY'S NEW BOAT

### She Will Be the Fastest Boat of Her Size on the Columbia or Its Tributaries

J B Montgomery s new steamer Typhoon which is being built in Smith s yard in south Portland, will be ready for launching in about three weeks She is to be run in connect on with the Cyclone on the Albina route. The Typhoon will be ten feet longer than the Cyclone, being two feet wider on the lower deck and will carry 150 passengers or thirty more than the Cyclone

Mr Montgomery has made a contract with the Willamette Iron Works for a steel boiler for the boat It will be three eighths of an inch thick except around the firebox where the thickness will be five eighths of an inch It will have 300 tubes The Typhoon will have compound engines, which are being built by the Wells Engine Co of New York.

The Typhoon will cost when completed $10 000 and will, Montgomery says be the fastest boat of the kind ever built on the Columbia or its tributaries. She will have a speed of sixteen miles an hour She will be ready to run be October 1, which there will be service every fifteen minutes between Portland and Albina.

## SUDDEN DEATH OF AARON MEIER.

### The Swift Winged Messenger Overtakes Him at the Breakfast Table—Apoplexy the Cause

Yesterday morning just after Aaron Meier of the firm of Meier & Frank had finished his breakfast at his residence, on the northeast corner of Eighth and Morrison streets and while engaged in conversation with his family he suddenly put his right hand up to his head and grew very pale. He was asked what ailed him but he gave no reply The members of the family supposed that he had merely fainted away and did all that is necessary in such cases As he could not be restored to consciousness Dr Curtis Strong was hurriedly summoned but Mr Meier was beyond the reach of medical skill. When the doctor arrived Mr Meyer s pulse was very low and he breathed his last in less than fifteen minutes after he was removed from the breakfast table The direct cause of his sudden demise was apoplexy

Mr and Mrs Sigmund Frank the deceased's son in law and daughter had just returned from the seaside, and joined the family at the breakfast table

The deceased was a native of Germany about 57 years of age and besides his wife he leaves three children Mrs Frank and Abe and Julius Meier, to mourn his death

Mr Meier came to Portland in 1857 and has continuously been in business here for thirty two years He was always considered an able business man hereabouts In all of his business transactions He possessed many noble qualities of character, and was highly esteemed as a warm friend by a large circle of acquaintances

The deceased was a prominent member of the Congregation Beth Israel The funeral will take place from the family residence to morrow morning at 10 o'clock services to be conducted by the Rev Dr Jacob Bloch

## DRUNKS AND MINOR OFFENDERS

### Judge Tanner's Levee in the Police Court Yesterday Afternoon.

The following cases were disposed of in short order at the usual hour in the police court yesterday afternoon

James O Brien, John McCormack and William McCollough charged with drunkenness, got off with a fine of $5 each Albert King and Peter Fortin same charge $10 each R. Q. Miller charged with being drunk, was let off on the plea of being subject to fits. Charles Wilson forfeited $8 on a charge of driving on sidewalks.

James Keeney charged with trespassing by sleeping in a box car, was fined $10 On the charge against J. H Buddemeirs for obstructing the streets without a permit was dismissed on motion of the city attorney

Frank Selover, charged with posting bills on property without the consent of the owner had hearing in his case continued until Monday afternoon

Robert Riley, who was arrested on a charge of assault and battery on J. C Myers, was found guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $10

Charles Schmidt will have an examination on a charge of larceny of a $100 bloodhound belonging to D Cole Monday afternoon

There will be no session of the police court this afternoon

## FORESTS AND THE RAINFALL

PORTLAND OR, Aug 15.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

An interesting article in a recent number of THE OREGONIAN prompts me to say a few words on this subject of the influence of forests upon the rainfall of our country Your article, according to my recollection, implies that scientific men are in agreement as to the opinion that the fall of rain is sensibly and certainly affected by the forest covering more or less of a given tract My limited reading does not agree with this conclusion and I think there are quite two opinions on this point

Our own daily observations, it seems to me are enough to show us that there can be little or no thing in this theory

Last summer was one of most immoderate rains throughout England destroying the crops and flooding the country to an extent hardly ever known This is a summer of the very opposite character so much so that the English farmer is quite unhappy in having no cause to grumble against the perfect weather he has had through the whole season. Now what imaginable change in the forests of England could have made the variation in these two seasons?

In our own country the eastern part, as every body knows has been subject to the most immoderate rains and floods, up almost to the very writing, while here in the West we have a season of drouth w[illegible] unprecedented in the present generation [illegible] forests grown up in the East and disappeared in the West in any possible way to account for this wonderful difference in the rainfall?

Then again as to the theory that the dry season in our region is due in the most remote degree to the reduction of our forest area. This cannot possibly hold because from information given us by the old inhabitants and many persons of intelligent observation, there has been no such reduction I am well persuaded that the forests, the timber and the trees of Oregon to-day cover many thousands of acres more than they did thirty years ago! The hewing down of these almost boundless woods has yet hardly been begun, and it is only along their borders and fringes that any impression has been made while vast areas of foothills and valleys have been over grown and entirely occupied by forests that nothing but the most persevering energy and industry will ever clear away

I have secured this impression of the present condition of our forests from the information of early residents here, and from my own observation and would very much like to know if this opinion is confirmed by other persons of wider observation and better information

If this be the case in regard to our forests, then scientific men and all others will have to give up the theory of their having any special influence upon the rainfall of the country B W M

## STOOD UP IN THE PLAZA.

### Barber Young Knocked Down by Thugs and Robbed of His Money.

He Offers a Reward of $50 for the Capture of the Men Who Assaulted Him—The Plaza Blocks Always Infested With Bummers

W H H Young, a barber at No 11 Jefferson street is out with a reward of $50 for the capture of the men who robbed him in the south plaza block.

The robbery occurred a week ago Thursday night but Mr Young did not report the affair to the police He kept quiet, expecting to meet the fellows and identifying them. This course availing nothing he decided to offer a reward

Mr Young did not lose much by keeping the police in the dark, because they would never find the offenders unless they should surrender themselves

Mr Young was going through the plaza at 11 o'clock at night when he was attacked by two men One struck at him with a billy but he dodged the blow and turned to get out of the way of his assailants. As he stepped aside one of them tripped him and both pounced upon him and beat him and robbed him of $95

The OREGONIAN has more than once called attention to the bums and thugs that infest the plaza. Not long since Chief Parrish instructed the day officer on the plaza beat to clean out the loafers since which time they have not been so thick during the day time Still any number of them can be seen sunning on the sward every day

At night the plazas are a cool retreat for the vagrants They crowd the grand stands, fill the dilapidated benches and roll on the grass After dark it is not safe for a person to go through the plazas The trees that line the pathways on both sides are good hiding places and a man who is attacked there stands but little chance unless he is a good runner

## HIS MARRIAGE A COMPLETE FAILURE

### The Mother in Law of William La Grande Proves To Be Too Much for Him

William A La Grande, aged 22, so he claims and Mamie Akin aged 15, obtained a license to wed recently one D W Prince swearing that the blushing maiden was about 19 years of age They immediately repaired to the office of Justice of the Peace Tuttle and, presenting their license, were united in marriage in very short order

Everything went along smoothly for a time the newly married pair settling down to housekeeping but La Grande very soon found out that it was not for his mother in law Mrs Lizzie Akin his married life would be far pleasanter He alleges that his mother in law was very meddlesome, finally persuading his wife to leave him and return to her parental roof

The idea of losing his bride so soon after being united in marriage did not suit La Grande He went before Justice Tuttle and swore out a warrant against his objectionable mother in law charging her with violating her marriage vows also with kidnaping his wife Mamie Mrs Akin in turn swore out a warrant against La Grande charging him with abduction, the latter alleging that he persuaded D W Prince to swear that Miss Akin was over 18 years of age at the time the marriage license was procured

Yesterday Justice Tuttle s patience was sorely tried in hearing the case of La Grande The court room was crowded Mrs Akin had a host of witnesses on hand to swear that Mrs La Grande was not a fit person to live with, alleging that she had made a great deal of trouble Mrs Akin and her husband with whom she has separated both testified that La Grande was objectionable to them as a son in law but that is about all they could testify to, he knew his wife s age and all the evidence introduced to the effect that he had persuaded Prince to swear that the girl was 19 years of age was ouly hearsay

Justice Tuttle held the woeful young benedict to answer before the grand jury but let him go on his own recognizance His wife went away with her mother Thus far La Grande marriage has certainly been a failure He thinks the mothers in law should live in a little world all to themselves

## NEARLY ROASTED ALIVE.

### Two Persons Horribly Burned by Falling Into a 'Live' Brick Kiln

At 7 o clock Thursday evening, a horrible accident occurred in the brick yards of Ellison & Leatherland, on the Taylor ferry road just above the Red house. Those who suffered by the accident were Walter Wolz an apprentice aged seven teen years, and a Chinaman whose name could not be learned both employed in the yards The accident occurred as near as can be learned, as follows

At the hour named the apprentice and a Chinaman noticed that one of the arches in the south end and of one of the kilns had caved in This caused the upper part of the kiln to crack Wolz and the Chinaman grabbed buckets of mud and climbed up to plaster over the cracks The southern bulkhead of the kiln had been made of sand instead of clay which was contrary to instructions, so it is claimed Through carelessness this had been allowed to become overheated and to make matters worse the bulkhead gave way as soon as the men stepped on it and they were precipitated into the sand which was almost at a white heat The Chinaman scrambled out and escaped badly, though not seriously burned Not so however with Wolz He seemed to become simpified by the fumes coming from the interior of the kiln and it was not until Mr Leatherland had made two attempts to reach him that he succeeded in getting out of the kiln although he made superhuman efforts to do so Just as Mr Leatherland rushed in to where the young man was being roasted alive the latter staggered past him

Young Wolz was removed to the residence of Mr Leatherland, in Bolton Park, and yesterday Dr Flinn of East Portland, visited him and dressed his injuries. He was found to be horribly burned about the lower extremities and arms His chances for recovery are very small It is thought the Chinaman will recover, as his injuries are not so serious

## THE TEMPLES OF THESPIS

### Sale of Seats for the Mather Season—Last Performance of "A Parlor Match"—Etc

The sale of seats for Miss Mather's engagement of five nights and a Wednesday matinee, at the New Park theater next week commenced yesterday at Hoyt & Co s and was a great success As Miss Mather presents a different play each night and many theater goers being desirous of seeing her in her different impersonations the sale for the various performances is about equally divided

Last night was the farewell performance of "A Parlor Match" by Evans & Hoey at New Park theater There was a large audience Every body laughed until they were hoarse The company during the past week have done a great deal to drive away the blues and have been a sure and speedy death to dyspepsia All agree that A Parlor Match is one of the funniest of the funny plays now on the road To day the company will leave here for San Francisco on the afternoon express and will open at the Californ a theater next Monday evening

Only "Standing Room, was the sign last night at Cordray's Theater and Musee East Lynne has been the attraction during the week and has proved a drawing card This afternoon a popular matinee performance will be given for the express benefit of ladies and the little people New attractions are promised next week

## A PLEA FOR THE SHADE TREES

### Buildings Moved Through the Streets Break Limbs and Disfigure Them

The course of the old clap-trap building which was moved from the vicinity of Fifth and Washington streets to Third and Market where it was arrested by an injunction from the county court and sawed in twain is marked by some unsightly disfigurations of shade trees The building was so large that it extended nearly from curb to curb and many beautiful shade trees were greatly damaged On Market between Fourth and Fifth streets there is a row of trees that look as though they had come in contact with a cyclone

The limbs on the side towards the street have been broken off, sawed off, and wrenched off causing the trees to look unsymmetrical and decidedly lopsided The building was an old one that could hardly hold together and the damage to any one of the trees really amounts to more than the price of the house

Mrs. Dr Emma J Welty, seeing that the building headed towards First street where of necessity it would have to pass her shade trees, which included a magnificent weeping willow that she prizes as highly as her dwelling obtained an order from the court restraining the owners of the build ng from moving it any further The building was sawed through the middle and consequently was then moved without any trouble and without menace to the trees along the street

Complaints of the ruthless desecration of shade trees have been frequently made and the general opinion expressed is that no more of it should be allowed Beautiful shade trees which are the greatest ornaments to any city should be protected.

## IT WILL BE A MERRY WAR.

### Governor Pennoyer, the Fish Commissioners and Taffe Preparing to Fight.

The Salmon Law Was Violated and the Governor is Going to Make Some One Pay for it—The Celilo Man Defiant.

There is likely to be a great deal of fun as soon as Governor Pennoyer begins prosecuting I H Taffe, the Celilo salmon fisherman for catching salmon out of season for the benefit of the Spokane Falls sufferers

To a man perched on a tree this rolling up of sleeves and gritting of teeth portends a mighty conflict

The way it looks now it will be a battle between Taffe and the fish commissioners on one side and the governor of the great state of Oregon on the other Both parties are preparing for the fray In a dispatch published in THE OREGONIAN Reed and Campbell are quoted as saying that they will stand between the governor and Taffe if the former attempts to make trouble

Commissioner Reed who is president of the commission is at the St Charles and was quite unconcerned yesterday about the big row

COMMISSIONERS DETERMINED

I gave Mr Taffe authority to go ahead and catch salmon for the Spokane sufferers he said

I watched the catching and the shipping of the fish and when the work was done I saw that everything was closed down I know of course that it is against the law to fish in August but I did not stop to think. I knew that there were fish in the river and that the sufferers might as well have them as anybody It was all for charity

TAFFE TELLS HIS STORY

Mr Taffe was in the city yesterday and was seen by a reporter to whom he said that if Governor Pennoyer undertakes to prosecute him he will defend himself

There is a personal animosity of several years standing, between Governor Pennoyer and myself said he It has grown out of an old grudge and is altogether unimaginative on his part It is some of his crankiness, and is very unjust to me.

Ever since he was elected governor he has tried to persecute me He seems to think the fish commissioners are standing in with me which is not the case They are simply doing their duty as men.

CAN THE COMMISSIONERS SUSPEND THE LAW?

In regard to he charge that I caught fish out of season this year I want to say that I fished according to the fish commissioners directions to a hair They instructed me to catch fish until 6 A M of the morning of Aug 1 and I did it

Now I want to tell you about that Spokane Falls affair When I learned that the city had been destroyed I came to the conclusion that the fish in the river were not doing anybody any good so I sent a dispatch to Major Furth, of Spokane Falls saying that I could give the people of the afflicted city all the salmon they could consume If the governor would only permit me to catch them I supposed the mayor would ask Governor Pennoyer for the necessary authority, but he did not At any rate the fish commissioners happened along about that time and they gave me the authority and I went to work

TAFFE CONSULTS THE GOVERNOR.

The following appeared in the last issue of The Dalles *Times Mountaineer*, over the signa ure of Mr Taffe

In THE OREGONIAN of the 12th, I see an article headed "Governor Pennoyer will prosecute Taffe that last year the governor caused the arrest of Taffe but the jury failed to convict him etc.

You an honest jury did fail to convict Taffe on the perjured evidence procured by Pennoyer for two purposes the first of which was to get even on an old grudge of long standing and the other to divide the bloodmoney he must have paid if the case would have been fixed But it is not been that all three of the fish commissioners were at Taffe s fishery on the day that Pennoyer's reliable witnesses swore that he Taffe was catching salmon

A word to dispatch the governor mentioned at the beginning of this article The Dalles item is a pack from some tramps who were put off a freight train at Celilo some time ago, and infested the place over since until a few days when some of them were sent or was brought to Portland by the governor for the purpose of inventing some new article to extort the long sought blood money out of Taffe

The governor seems to be and says he is very very much about the fishing law being abused by the fish commissioners He himself was the first to abuse the law when three years ago he allowed all the counties to fish during the first week in August solely for the purpose of showing his brotherly authority

## SIMON, FEIG & CO. ASSIGN

### Their Liabilities Amount to Over $28 000, Owed Principally to San Franciscans

Simon, Feig & Co millmen at No 67 Morrison street made an assignment yesterday to Meier & Frank Their assets amount to $13 000 Liabilities $28 094 84 Following is a list of their creditors

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| SAN FRANCISCO | |
| Levi Strauss & Co | $ 1123 75 |
| Buchanan Bros | 2208 50 |
| Hoff man Alexander & Co | 1102 00 |
| Hirschthal & Co | 750 00 |
| Rosenthal Meier & Co | 404 12 |
| Schwyzer & Co | 1141 12 |
| D Bertrand, Bro | 817 66 |
| Newhall Sons & Co | 464 82 |
| Bergenbaum & Co | 194 13 |
| H Nash | 139 81 |
| H Kramer | 103 75 |
| Neuberger Reiss & Co | 681 75 |
| Weil, Baer & Co | 809 15 |
| H M Heineman | 56 21 |
| D Block & Co | 91 45 |
| Simon Jacobs & Co | 53 85 |
| H Levy & Co | 491 20 |
| W Cohen & Co | 611 45 |
| Carlson C Curry n | 6 40 |
| George Clark & Co | 50 84 |
| Stange & Jaeschke | 127 00 |
| J Morzbach | 51 00 |
| Louis Kline & Co | 20 50 |
| F Toplitz & Co | 1157 72 |
| Hurtz & Landt | 918 01 |
| Pacific Jewelry Co | 12 [illegible] 12 |
| Julius Levy & Bro | 189 67 |
| Ed Weil | 43 65 |
| Dayton Paper Co | 60 06 |
| Pacific Straw Works | 58 [illegible] |
| Sachs Bros & Co | 963 6[illegible] |
| Total | $20 151 04 |
| PORTLAND | |
| Columbia River Paper Co | $ 6 50 |
| Blake McFall & Co | 9 00 |
| Dittenhoefer Haas & Co | 89 10 |
| Newstadter Bros | 99 [illegible] |
| Walter Bros | 110 [illegible] |
| To al | $309 67 |
| EAST PORTLAND | |
| Mrs Lena Simon | $517 00 |
| M Simon | 121 16 |
| Total | $638 16 |
| MISCELLANEOUS | |
| M Straus & Co of St Louis | $130 86 |
| D B Lusk & Co, of Chicago | 864 00 |
| Total | $994 86 |

## THE HILL SHARON SUIT

### Judge Deady Wrote the Opinion in the Celebrated Breach of Promise Case

It may not be generally known that Judge Matthew P Deady wrote the opinion in the celebrated Hill sharon breach of promise suit The case was tried before Judges Deady and Sawyer, and the decision adverse to Sarah Althea Hill Terry was delivered on Christmas day, 1885. Judge Terry interested himself in the case after it had been decided in the state circuit court He was Mrs. Hill s attorney and pending the trial in the Federal court he married her The alleged marriage contract between Mrs Hill and Senator Sharon was shown to be a forged document beyond any possibility of doubt

Judge Deady was to have gone to San Francisco in a short time to try another case against Judge Terry, but since the latter s death, he will only sit in judgment over the case of Mrs Terry There are two indictments hanging over her for resisting an officer in the discharge of his duties Judge Deady may be called upon to try these cases in a few weeks The Federal judges in San Francisco all being witnesses in the case could not occupy the bench

## ATTENTION, G A R

Comrades who contemplate attending the encampment in Milwaukee will learn of something that may prove to their advantage pertaining to their trip by calling at 6 Washington street, office Canadian Pacific railway

## LEGAL LOG BOOK

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT

Edward W Bingham vs The United States order dismissing the petition

Christian administrator vs Scott receiver Judgment on stipulation for $1000

Simmons Liver Regulator has ever been known to fail to cure all liver diseases.

## NOTES FROM THE EAST SIDE.

### The Contract for the New Adams Street M. E. Church Awarded.

Improvements To Be Made on Twelfth Street—For the New Team—Resumption of Services—Sewerage Question.

Friday evening August 16th the contract for the new church edifice of the Adams street M E church was awarded to E J Sprague

The work is to be commenced immediately, and pushed vigorously to completion It is expected that the building will be ready for dedication not far from January 1, 1890 The edifice is to be nearly a copy of the new Albina M E. church There will be no basement however, except for the furnace There will be an annex about forty feet square in the rear of the church, composed of three rooms, for Sunday school purposes This suite of rooms will be seated with 200 chairs and will be connected with each other by sash sliding doors and with the main building by sash rising doors The auditorium of the church proper, will be seated with pews affording sittings, including the gallery for 500 persons This building finished and furnished will cost not less than $5,000 The building entire with its regular sittings for 750 people will furnish East Portland what she has long needed an auditorium sufficiently large to provide for an East Portland meeting for any distinguished speakers that may come, or for any other East Side union demonstration or meeting The completed building will cover one entire lot

This society was organized October 18th, with eleven members and now numbers 100 and is growing steadily The new building will be a credit to East Portland and to Sophias addition in particular

STREET CONTRACTS

The street committee has awarded contracts on Twelfth street as follows

W H Merrick—200 lineal feet between B and C on the east side block 284 200 lineal feet on east side between C and B block 257 200 lineal feet on east side between B and A block 232.

Oregon Real Estate Company—Blocks 146 147 148 149 150 151 152 153

S M Kiernan & Son—Northeast and northwest corner section of Holladay avenue.

Seventh street—S M Kiernan & Son blocks 28 27 26, 11 30

A street—C A Wheeler blocks 8 and 31

The contract on Twelfth comprises an improvement from D to Holladay avenue and when finished will give a continuous improvement from Hawthorne avenue to Holladay avenue the longest and best improved street in East Portland At extensive bridge will have to be built across Sullivans gulch by the Oregon Real Estate Company The work on the improvement will begin at once and pushed with all possible energy to completion

SEWERAGE QUESTION

Mr McMahan introduced into the council an ordinance providing for a commission to prepare a sewerage system for East Portland It also provides for an expenditure of $500 to defray the expenses incurred in securing scientific help on the subject The move is certainly in the right direction The health officers say they can do nothing or at least very little toward keeping the city clean and pure until sewerage is supplied It seems to be needed in Stephens addition even more than in other portions of the city The ground is low and in many places the waste water runs in the street and forms an offensive pool The property holders are powerless to do anything and should not be always condemned There is but one solution to the question and that is provided in the ordinance that has been passed

Mayor Stewart has already strongly expressed himself in plain terms in this matter both in his first communication to the council and since, and it is no question but that he will give the project all the encouragement in his power

CUTTING OUT THE DOOR.

Work was begun yesterday cutting a doorway through the brick wall of the city hall into the engine house An opening eight feet wide will be made and reach above After the men had been working some time a cracking sound from the wall above caused some alarm to the officers A heavy beam was placed in such a way as to support the wall The walls are solid and secure only at one end of the building it is thought the foundation has been impaired by water

TAXES SOR

Mrs George F Bailey who went with her family to the country to spend a couple of weeks in hopes of benefiting her health has been dangerously ill at the residence of J B Dyas in Jacksonville county Oregon and now numbers 1 and 3 are reported critically The doctors have given up hope of her recovery but she will not be back to return home for some weeks

SING SERVICE

Mr William Wadhams of Ea and will conduct a song service in the Mizpah Presbyterian church to morrow at 11 A M All the people in the neighborhood are cordially invited to attend and bring their No 1 song books

SERMONS TO BE PUBLISHED

The Rev J A Sandgrass pastor of the First Baptist church having returned regular services will be resumed in that church to morrow

FROM OCEAN VIEW

Mr George Hanson and his wife have returned from the ocean They will make their home in Sellwood

Henry Fuller undertaker and embalmer Fourth and Taylor Telephone 1010

## ESCAPED A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

### Obstructions Thoughtlessly Left on a Railroad Track—They Were Timely Discovered

Thursday evening the 6 o clock West Side Southern Pacific passenger train on coming into the city narrowly escaped meeting with an accident which would in all probability have proved very disastrous. The following particulars are furnished by the *Evening Telegram*

W Stark, the tin roofer bought from Sold Back one of the cottages standing in front of S L Reed s residence on First street and was having it taken from the site to a lot in South Portland That back in the afternoon the mover had got the house int Washington street on second and when the men quit work to prevent teams from being injured they obstructed the street with the heavy timbers used as trackage for the rollers to slide on These timbers for some unknown reason lay across the railroad track which crosses Second street diagonally at that point and extended on each side There were several of them and they were very heavy being about six inches thick and ten inches in width

When the evening passenger came along the engineer looking out, saw the obstruction just in time to stop his train less than ten feet from the timbers The train men then got out and after removing the obstruction the train proceeded into town The occurrence was witnessed by a number of parties Had the engineer not seen the obstruction until a few seconds later the engine and cars would have been thrown from the track, it is said without a doubt, and as the side towards the river is an abrupt incline the chances would have been great that some one would have been badly hurt if not killed.

MR HATCH'S STATEMENT

Mr Hatch who had charge of the removal of the house called at THE OREGONIAN office last evening and stated that when he left his work at 4 1 0 o clock Thursday evening the railroad track was perfectly clear When he went around yesterday morning a lady living in the house told him that shortly after he left the evening before a man drove up with a load of shingles and ore up three planks of the bridge and threw them across the railroad track The man also took several planks used in house moving and threw them on the track.

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